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Russia Approves Peace Treaties With Italy, Finland, Balkan Trio

Royalist Greek Cabinet Sworn In; Crisis Ends

ATHENS, Aug. 29 (P)—A right-wing Greek government headed by Constantinos Tsaldaris and composed with one exception of Populist (Rovalist) party members—contrary to United States wishes—was sworn in at the palace of King Paul tonight.

The naming of the new cabinet ended the week-long crisis in which Greece was without a government, but there were clear indications that the new administration would not survive its first test in parliament.

Already faced by five opposition parties holding enough votes to defeat any appeal for a vote of confidence, Tsaldaris failed to include in his new cabinet Stephan Stephanopoulos, former minister of co-ordination and one of the strongest Populist leaders.

This notable omission was interpreted as indicating a rift among the Populists themselves, and observers said it presaged certain defeat for the cabinet formed within two hours after a last effort to bring liberal and other opposition parties into the government had failed.

The new premier did not include Napoleon Zervas, an extreme rightist and leader of the Democratic National union, in the cabinet as minister of public order as had been expected in some quarters. It was the administration of that post, held by Zervas, and the war ministry, that precipitated the resignation of the past Saturday of the cabinet headed by Demetrios Maximos.

Tsaldaris returned George Stratos to the war ministry, however. Only one man outside the Populist party was named to the cabinet—Admiral Alexander Saxeianou, an

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Truman Names Draper Undersecretary of War

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29 (AP)—President Truman virtually completed top assignments in the nation's new unified defense establishment today with appointment of Maj. Gen. William H. Draper Jr., as undersecretary of war and selection of five other officials to be formally appointed later.

Draper will become undersecretary of the army next month when reorganization of the armed forces takes actual effect with the swearing in of Secretary of the Navy James V. Forrestal as secretary of national defense.

At the same time, the White House announced, Mr. Truman will make these other appointments:

1. Arthur M. Hill, of Charleston, W. V., now chairman of the board of the Atlantic Greyhound corporation, as chairman of the National Security Resources board. That board, to be made up of men from various government departments and agencies will plan for utilization of the nation's facilities in wartime.

2. Sidney W. Souers, retired rear admiral and former director of the Central Intelligence agency, as executive secretary of the National Security council. The council, composed of the president, secretary of state, secretary of defense, secretaries of army, navy and air force, and chairman of the resources board, will have the task of helping the president co-ordinate national, foreign and military policies.

3. Rear Admiral Roscoe H. Hillenkoetter, director of the Central Intelligence agency under the present defense set-up, to take the same post under the service unification.

4. Thomas J. Hargrave, president of the Eastman Kodak company. (Continued on Page Five)

Fair Weather Seen For Holiday Weekend

Pottstowners, all primed for Summer's last three-day weekend, stand a good chance of enjoying reasonable weather over Labor Day.

State police last night predicted "the heaviest weekend traffic in history" and urged "every driver and walker" to help keep down the holiday toll.

Migrations to seaside resorts began yesterday, necessitating bus lines and railroads to utilize every piece of equipment available for transportation.

The weatherman predicts today to be rather cool and cloudy in Eastern Pennsylvania. Tomorrow is to be partly cloudy and warmer with a few showers in the west and north portions in the afternoon.

Generally, the forecast reported rather cool temperatures along the Atlantic states over the weekend, with a rising trend by next Tuesday and Wednesday.

A rise in the mercury yesterday to 84 during the rush hours on High Street brought back slight memories of the past week's heat wave, but residents agreed that it could have been much worse.

THE WEATHER

For Eastern Pennsylvania: Rather cloudy and cool today. Cloudy and warmer tomorrow.

84 Mercury 65
High Antics Low

TEMPERATURE EXTREMES

Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

4 a. m.	63	4 p. m.	84
5 a. m.	65	5 p. m.	82
6 a. m.	65	6 p. m.	81
7 a. m.	65	7 p. m.	81
8 a. m.	67	8 p. m.	80
9 a. m.	71	9 p. m.	78
10 a. m.	74	10 p. m.	75
11 a. m.	76	11 p. m.	72
12 m.	70	12 p. m.	72
1 p. m.	70	1 p. m.	72
2 p. m.	82	2 a. m.	71

OFFICIAL PACTS TO BE DELIVERED IN NEAR FUTURE

Soviet Move Extends Action by Major Powers Against Nazi Partners

By ROBERT HEWETT

LONDON, Aug. 29 (AP)—

Russia ratified the long-delayed peace treaties with Italy, Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria and Finland tonight, bringing in sight the formal end of hostilities with five wartime allies of Nazi Germany.

Announcement of the treaty ratifications was made by the Moscow radio which said the action was taken by the presidium of the supreme Soviet of the U.S.S.R.

Ratification by the Soviet Union completed action by the four major powers on the treaties drafted the past year in Paris. The victors in World War II still have to decide upon peace terms for Germany, Austria and Japan.

Formal ending of hostilities against Italy, Hungary, Romania, Bulgaria and Finland will come when the instruments of ratification are deposited in Paris and Moscow. Withdrawal of some occupation troops is scheduled to follow.

A British official said Andrei Y. Vishinsky, deputy Soviet foreign minister, had promised that Russia would agree to "an early date" for the deposit of the instruments of ratification.

The United States, Britain and France took action on the five treaties months ago, but Russia, by delaying action, had held up the return toward peace time conditions in the beaten nations.

The first reaction in European capitals to the Moscow announcement was one of relief. But diplomatic sources tempered their approval by pointing out that Hungary, Romania and Bulgaria already have been accused by the United States and Britain of violating the "human rights" sections of the pacts.

Reports also indicated that the Russian ratification—which came only a few days after approval of Romania, Bulgaria and Hungary—was given to facilitate the admission of eastern European nations into the United Nations. The U. N. General assembly meets in New York Sept. 16.

The Italian minister of the interior, Mario Scelba, declared in Rome that Russia apparently had rushed into its ratification of the treaty in order to keep Italy from gaining United Nations membership the past week Premier Alcide de Gasperi merely expressed the hope that the ratification now had removed all obstacles to Italy's membership in the U. N.

The terms of the five pacts deprive the defeated nations of (Continued on Page Five)

Lady Luck Helps Prowler Escape

WAUKEGAN, Ill., Aug. 29 (P)—Police said Mrs. John Johnson reported a prowler entered her back yard and:

1. Stepped on her cat's tail;
2. Was chased by Rover, her 9-year-old beagle;
3. Tripped over the lawn mower;
4. Sprung into a wire fence;
5. Fell into her rutabaga patch;
6. Bumped into a bean pole, and
7. Finally escaped.

Rail Worker Held in Attack On Woman Here

Two area men were committed to the borough lockup last night, one charged with assault with intent to ravish, and another with aggravated assault and battery with intent to kill.

James Johnson, 47, a Monocacy railroad worker was arrested about 11 o'clock last night after charges were brought against him by a housewife woman. He is being held under \$1000 bail.

Originally from Pitman, N. J., Johnson, divorced, and the father of three children, was picked up by Motor Patrolman Thomas A. Lawler and Special Officer Russell Hummel as he hid under a tree near West High and Rice streets, Stowe.

The woman Mrs. Florence M. Salter, 300 High street, after escaping Johnson's advances in a field on the north side of West High street between Rice and Quinter ran onto the porch of a nearby residence and screamed for aid. A Mrs. Favinger, living there, immediately phoned city hall.

According to police, Johnson and the woman met in a High street taproom, moved on to another (Continued on Page Five)

Contacts Completed For Start of Drive On Airport Funds

The campaign for funds for the Pottstown municipal airport has been planned completely and is ready to get under way on Tuesday, Leon C. MacMullen, chairman of the citizens' airport committee announced yesterday.

MacMullen said the committee was working on its list of contributors yesterday, and that some of the arrangements had been completed already.

"We have made 22 preliminary contacts among industries," he said, "and our solicitors will call on them Tuesday for their contributions."

Stressing that the campaign will be conducted swiftly, MacMullen pointed out that the committee was interested in getting air-mail, freight, express and limited passenger service operating from the Stowe field as soon as possible.

The sub-committee headed by Raymond H. Pierson co-chairman of the committee, to solicit funds from industry now is complete. It is made up of B. M. Smith, of the Spicer Manufacturing company; Mrs. Otto Bettin, 140 King street; Ralph H. Spare Jr. secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, William Weiss and Paul Christy, of the Doehler-Jarvis company, and William J. Boden, of the Concrete Products company of America.

The membership of the sub-committee which will solicit contributions from the mercantile interests has not been completed yet, MacMullen said, since it is expanding to cover all branches of business. Its membership will be announced at a later date.

Fire Damages Home Of Princess Elizabeth

LONDON, Saturday Aug. 30 (P)—A wing of Sunningdale park, the Windsor Forest mansion given to Princess Elizabeth to serve as her home after her marriage to Lt. Philip Mountbatten, was seriously damaged by fire early today, the British Press association reported.

The roof and rooms of the mansion's southern wing, unoccupied and as yet unfurnished, were considerably damaged, the report said. There was no indication of the cause of the blaze.

The national fire service at Windsor said the blaze was under control within two hours after it was reported shortly after midnight. Firefighters from five towns in three counties rushed to battle it.

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37 Photographs Found In Home of A. F. Kivi; Taken From Los Alamos

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29 (AP)—

The Federal Bureau of Investigation tonight announced the arrest of Arnold Frederick Kivi, 27, at Brooklyn, N. Y., for the theft of "highly confidential photographs" from the Los Alamos, N. M., atomic installations.

The FBI, in a special announcement, said its agents had recovered 37 photographs and ten negatives when they searched Kivi's home.

The announcement by J. Edgar Hoover, director of the FBI, said that Kivi, a former soldier, had at first denied being in possession of any highly confidential pictures but that he later had admitted removing them from the Los Alamos project certain classified photographs.

Classified documents or pictures are those usually marked secret, confidential or restricted.

The pictures found in Kivi's possession, Hoover said, depicted various phases of atomic research equipment used in connection with the bomb and several pictures of visitors to the atomic property.

When first interviewed, the FBI director related in his announcement, Kivi said he had made 500 official photographs of various stages of development of the atomic bomb.

It was at Los Alamos that the first atomic bomb was assembled and tested before similar missiles were dropped on Japan to bring a quick end of the Japanese war.

Kivi subsequently admitted, the FBI director related, taking the classified photographs when he left the Army in February 1946 and that several weeks later he became "extremely (Continued on Page Ten)

Birds Go Into a Nosedive, Come Out in Cloud of Soot

Everything was quiet and peaceful around 8 o'clock last night in the neighborhood of South Hanover street.

The warm, pleasant Summer day was fading, when suddenly a flock of raucous "blackbirds," chimney-swifts or swallows, flew down the chimney of Lester E. Daub's hardware store, 114 South Hanover street, and kept the household in a fine uproar for more than an hour.

The invasion was described by Daub's son-in-law, William Stanton. "A flock of about 200 flies over here every night. Suddenly it looked like they all came down our chimney."

Stanton hurried to the cellar door and was almost overpowered by a thick cloud of soot that rushed up to greet him, not to mention a swarm of birds that threatened to overwhelm him as they winged upstairs to freedom.

"I had to shield my face to keep them from getting me," Stanton reported, still a little shaken.

Union Is Selected As Bargaining Agent

Workers at the Automatic Heater company, Cross and Keim streets, yesterday voted to be represented by the United Construction Workers union, an affiliate of the United Mine Workers.

At an election supervised by Burgess William A. Griffin yesterday afternoon, the workers voted 28 to 10 to have the union as their bargaining agent.

Of the 46 workers eligible to vote in the election, 41 cast ballots, three of which were declared void.

Lee E. Hoover, union representative, said yesterday that the union would meet with the company to negotiate a contract and that a local of the union would be set up in Pottstown. No date has been set for either the contract negotiations or the establishment of the local.

Phillips Reappointed To Housing Authority

Warren D. Phillips, 340 High street, was reappointed to the Montgomery County Housing authority yesterday by Gov. James H. Duff. Along with the appointment of Phillips, who is an optometrist, Gov. Duff reappointed Felix Perry, Springfield township, and named James M. Henderson, Lower Merion, to succeed J. Walter Hammonds, Bryn Mawr, who resigned.

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Some enterprising individual viewed with disdain Pottstown's parking situation and decided to give the borough's parking meters a smattering of competition. Jean Treisman posted to the "come hither" sign tacked to a pole at King and Hanover streets. The lot it points to is located a half block away. P. S.—There were cars parked in it yesterday.

—Mercury Staff Photo

FIRE EQUIPMENT BID IS OPENED

\$34,000 Contract Studied By Committee; Council Approval to Be Asked

Pottstown is assured one of the most modern fire alarm systems in the state of Pennsylvania as a result of the action taken last night by the fire committee of borough council.

The Gamewell Fire company's bids for equipment asked for by the fire department and approved by the fire committee were opened last night at a committee meeting held at borough hall. The bid of the company was \$34,000 and at the meeting of borough council Tuesday night the acceptance of the bid and awarding of the big contract will be recommended.

J. M. Spader, of New York City, field engineer of the company, attended the meeting and reported installation of the new system would be completed in six months time from the date (Continued on Page Ten)

Price Boosts to Hit Pupils Eating in School Cafeterias

The national shame of skyrocketing prices, accompanied by an attitude of "get while the getting's good," will hit home this fall in the usually slim purses of school-age boys and girls.

Although the cafeteria of the Pottstown Junior High school operates on a non-profit basis, it will be necessary this year to boost some of the food costs as much as 25 percent.

Ralph P. Holloway, secretary of the school board, said yesterday, "We make just enough to pay for the kitchen help. The dietitian isn't paid from the sale of food to the pupils, and we make no profit on the food items." Of course, we have to pay more for help now, and the food prices have gone up very high."

In addition to the Junior High school cafeteria, which will open Sept. 8, the Senior High school also has a small cafeteria, Holloway pointed out.

Mainly for vocational students who have only a half-hour lunch period, the high school lunchroom costs are expected to rise the same in the main cafeteria.

Miss Anna Di Giovanni, director of the cafeteria since the past March, compared a few prices for the Mercury last night.

"Last year," she began, "each vegetable and meat item was seven cents, and a platter, consisting of (Continued on Page Ten)

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TWO BICYCLISTS ARE INJURED IN ACCIDENTS HERE

10-Year-Old Girl Victim Of West High Street Crash; Boy's Bike, Auto Collide

Two young bicyclists were injured yesterday afternoon within 20 minutes when they ran their bicycles into automobiles.

Joan Buchanan, 10, of 63 North Hanover street, told the driver, "I'm sorry I ran into your car." At 4:15 p. m. after the crash the left front fender of an automobile driven by Frank J. DeWitt, Pennhurst, at the intersection of West High street and Dale place, Penn. Village.

The girl was taken to Pottstown hospital with a possible fracture of the right ankle and a laceration of the head.

Devlin told police that he was driving east on the highway when she rode across the street and struck his car. He took Joan to the hospital in his automobile.

Twenty minutes later Ronald Smith, 13, of 757 Walnut street, who was riding on his bicycle south on Grant street, ran into the right front fender of a truck driven by A.raham B. Yergler, 116 Rowland street, at Beech and Grant streets.

The boy was taken to the office of Dr. David Detar, where he was treated for a sprain of the right ankle and a slight injury of his left thumb.

Motor Patrolman Harold E. Hahn investigated the accident. Hahn also investigated a near-miss earlier yesterday afternoon when a trailer-truck almost struck Mrs. Mary Lesko, 45, of Linfield, at High and Penn streets.

When she was riding from a nervous shock when she reached the northwest corner of the intersection, and Hahn ordered her taken to the Pottstown hospital in an ambulance of the Good Will Fire company.

The truck was going east when Mrs. Lesko and a second woman started to cross High street from south to north.

The driver applied his brakes sharply and the heavy vehicle halted, its front fender almost touching Mrs. Lesko.

The Linfield woman was released after being treated in Pottstown hospital dispensary.

C. W. Hunsberger, 63, Auto Dealer, Dies In Green Lane Home

Charles W. Hunsberger, school director of Green Lane school district for 18 years and prominent in that area, died suddenly at his home yesterday morning from a heart attack. He was 63.

Born in Millford township, Bucks county, a son of the late John and Mary (Steele) Hunsberger, he lived in Green Lane most of his life.

Established in the used car business for the past 30 years, Hunsberger also was director of the Summerville Building and Loan association, a charter member and director of the Marietta Mutual Casualty company, and a charter member and trustee of the Green Lane fire company.

He was a member of St. John's Lutheran church Summerville, and among his fraternal affiliations were the Perkiomen lodge 595, P. and A. M., East Greenville and Tohocken Tribe 386, Improved Order of the Red Men, Green Lane. He also was a notary public.

Besides his wife, Florence (Kline) Hunsberger, he is survived by the following children: Mrs. C. Farnsley A. Barnard, Telford; John C., Fernvale, W. and Harry A. Hunsberger, Green Lane; Mrs. Ralph Spohn and Mrs. George Shupe, Green Lane; Paul T. Summerville; Jerry W., Red Hill, and Claire W. and Roy C., at home.

Also three sisters: Elsa Hunsberger, Emmaus, Pa.; Mrs. Clayton Woodcock, Allentown; and Mrs. Charles Neen, Emmaus; two step- (Continued on Page Five)

ON THE MAIN DRAG

JOE JEFFERSON

—stopping for a drink of cold water.

BOB GINRICH

—looking over a list of the latest record releases.

MRS. CARL PETRUCELLI

—preparing a spaghetti supper for her family.

STANLEY YUROS

—impatiently awaiting a baseball score.

BOB CALVARIO

—complaining of not losing weight after exercising for two weeks.

ED MONAGHAN

—telling friends about various scenes in a movie comedy.

ALMA KLINE

—sager to start teaching in school again.

EUGENE KAULER

—listening a loud speaker system.

NORM BITTING

—taking time off from work to buy two chairs.

MATTHEW EDLINSKI

—stopping in a store to cash a check.

LOVETT CALLS NEW PARLEY ON KOREAN ISSUE

U. S. Official Seeks
British, Chinese Views
In Row With Russians

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29 (AP)—The United States today called a conference of the big four Pacific powers to act on sweeping new proposals aimed at breaking a stubborn deadlock with Russia over Korea's independence.

In a roughly worded note to Moscow, Undersecretary of State Robert A. Lovett invited Russia to take part in the conference with the United States, Britain and China to be held in Washington Sept. 8. The object would be to hasten freedom for Korea, now split into two occupation zones administered by the United States and Russia.

Soviet refusal to take part would open the way for an appeal to the United Nations or for an independent American effort to build up the economic strength of the U. S. zone in South Korea.

Regardless of the Soviet decision, diplomatic authorities made plain this Government is determined to find a way out of the Korean stalemate resulting from the continued failure to reach agreement with the Russians on a unified government.

Lovett in his note:

1. Charged Russia with violating pledges made by Foreign Minister Molotov;
2. Brushed off as without basis Molotov's assertions that pro-Soviet elements were being "persecuted" in the American occupation zone; and
3. Announced that the United States "in good conscience" could no longer be a party to delay in carrying out the 1945 Moscow agreement to give the Koreans independence.

This agreement called for a five-year period of trusteeship under a single democratic government for the entire country, to be followed by complete freedom. The provisional regime would take the place of the present separate occupation zones.

Lovett proposed instead that the four power conference consider a radical new procedure of granting freedom, to be carried out under United Nations supervision. Published a day after Russian rejection of an American proposal advanced in Seoul for a Korean plebiscite, the new program calls for:

1. Early democratic elections to choose provisional legislatures for each zone.
2. Creation of a national provisional legislature by vote of the two zonal groups, or by vote reflecting the population strengths. (The population in the American zone is larger.) The legislature would set up the provisional government for the united Korea.
3. Consultation by the big four powers with this Government on aid in placing Korean independence on a firm economic and political foundation.

U. N. Council Fails To Reach Accord In Egypt Dispute

LAKE SUCCESS, Aug. 29 (AP)—The Security Council failed again today to settle the Anglo-Egyptian dispute over British forces in the Nile valley and adjourned for vacation until Sept. 9 with the case still on its calendar.

A Colombian plan for settling the case was rejected through failure to get the necessary affirmative majority of seven votes. The most it received in a paragraph-by-paragraph balloting was five votes. Britain a party to the dispute, had no vote.

For the first time in council history all voting delegates abstained on one section relating to "mutual assistance," which had been vigorously assailed by Soviet Russia and other speakers during a three-hour wrangle.

Some delegates contended this "mutual assistance" would mean that the negotiations would be conditioned on the withdrawal of troops. But others said it merely clarified the points for negotiation.

After the paragraph-by-paragraph voting, Council President Paris E. Knox, Jr., said the Colombian resolution was finished with further action unnecessary.

Exp. on Premier Nazim Pasha, who has been here since a month, told newsman he would stay, or at least for a while.

"I have said that this dispute affects the very existence of my country," he declared. "As premier of the country I must stay here. The negotiators have no formal resolution, before them, but just before they adjourned on a T. E. Lawrence made a halfway proposal in a vain effort to find some compromise solution."

Noting that futile attempts had been made on the Colombian plan and a Brazilian proposal, which failed by one vote to master the necessary majority support yesterday, Truman said the evacuation of British troops from Egypt was the core of the problem. Egypt has persistently contended that British troops must be withdrawn now.

DRAWN JAIL TERM

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 29 (AP)—James L. Kramer, 26, of Altoona, today was sentenced to one year in jail by Federal Judge R. M. Gibson after he pleaded guilty to transporting a stolen truck from Baltimore to Pittsburgh.

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BASKING RIDGE, N. J., Aug. 29 (AP)—The Rev. Dr. Oscar M. Voorhees, 82, former secretary of the United Chapters of The Beta Kappa, national honorary scholastic fraternity, died today at the home of his sister, Miss Sarah W. Voorhees.

Brazilian Congress To Hear President

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29 (AP)—President Truman will address a joint session of the Brazilian congress next Friday at 3 p. m. (Pottstown time) the White House announced today.

This will be the second major address Mr. Truman will deliver during his week's stay in Brazil. The White House said the speech before the Brazilian congress will be brief.

His principal speech will be a 20-minute affair addressed Tuesday at the closing session of the Inter-American defense conference. This speech will be broadcast. Truman leaves for Brazil by air Sunday.

13 Pilots Seek Cash, Trophy In Bendix Test; Odom Competes

VAN NUYS, Calif., Aug. 29 (AP)—Thirteen converted warplanes, tuned to the finest degree, were under lock and key at Metropolitan airport as their pilots awaited the takeoff tomorrow morning in the \$25,000 Bendix trophy dash to Cleveland.

Official departure time is 11 a. m. (Pottstown time) but one flier, Jane Page Hlavacek, Wilmette, Ill., will depart an hour and a half earlier if she can gain permission of the other pilots. She wants to reach Cleveland early enough to participate in another dash in the national air races tomorrow.

After the official start the ships will take off at five-minute intervals, and race officials said they hoped to get them all on their way within an hour.

William P. Odom, of "round the world record fame," reached here from Houston, Tex., today in his clipped winged P47, with which he says he expects to win. He was accompanied by his friend, R. A. Cole, flying the "Reynolds Bombshell," a converted A26 bomber.

Cole is not eligible for the trophy dash, but he indicated he might go along anyway for the ride. Asked what his plans were, he remarked: "We'll probably beat Odom back there."

A prime favorite is the past year's winner, Paul Mantz, movie stunt man and charter service operator. He will be flying the same P51 in which he averaged 435.5 miles an hour in the past year's dash, but has installed a few gadgets with which he expects to coax a little more speed out of the sleek Mustang.

Jacqueline Cochran, Newark, N. J., announced late today that she would not be at the controls of her P51 in which she placed second the past year, and that the craft would be piloted by Bruce Gumbel, Greenwich, Conn.

Reds Again Charge U. S. Aims For Monopoly of Atomic Energy

By FRANCIS W. CARPENTER

LAKE SUCCESS, Aug. 29 (AP)—The Soviet Union charged once more today that the United States is seeking a world-wide monopoly on atomic energy.

In a long-awaited declaration, Andrei A. Gromyko, Russian deputy foreign minister, also rejected a series of six papers approved by a majority of the United Nations atomic energy commission. These documents, which Russia refused to help draft and on which she had not committed herself definitely until now, deal with constituting and running an international atomic control agency.

Gromyko told the political committee of the commission that every statement by the United States "convincing us" that the United States is seeking a monopoly.

He said these papers seek to protect the interests of one country by securing a monopoly for that country in atomic energy.

Gromyko hurled the monopoly charge at the United States for the first time the past Spring. It was met then by a snappy reply and denial from Warren R. Austin, U. S. delegate. Frederick H. Osborn, U. S. atomic deputy, then replied that day, but indicated he would study Gromyko's speech carefully.

Gromyko said the six papers, on which various sub-committees have worked for three months, were extensions of the original United States plan presented in June 1946 by Bernard M. Baruch and which the Soviet Union has repeatedly refused to accept.

His statement made it clear the wide disagreement between Russia and the United States remained unchanged. It also made clear that the second report of the atomic commission to the Security Council, due Sept. 15, would not have Russia's approval.

The political committee is in the final stages of drawing up the report, which will be based on these papers. It expects to meet steadily next week in an effort to have the report finished before Sept. 10, the date the full commission must give final approval.

After hearing Gromyko, Richard Milne, Britain, said there was no point in trying to rewrite the papers to "accommodate" the Soviet Union.

Mine Stripping Takes Fifth Drowning Victim

WILKES-BARRE, Aug. 29 (AP)—While playing with several companions all under ten, at the edge of a water-filled mine stripping excavation at Sheatown, Newport township, this afternoon Anthony Francisiewicz, 8, a resident at St. Stanislaus orphanage, Sheatown, slipped from a ledge and was drowned. The body was recovered.

The youngster was the fifth victim of a mine stripping tragedy in Luzerne county this year.

15 Persons Killed As Bridge Breaks

ZARAGOZA, Spain, Aug. 29 (AP)—Fifteen persons were reported killed and 21 injured to-night when a rain-weakened bridge collapsed under a passenger train near the town of Villorova.

First reports said several cars had been piled up. A rescue train and ambulances from Zaragoza were sent to the scene. No official announcement yet has been made on the accident.

Strikers Threaten Mine Union Leader

LONDON, Aug. 29 (AP)—A wildcat strike costing Britain more than 100,000 tons of coal daily and imperiling the country's vital coal production program spread through the Yorkshire mines today, bringing a threat of violence to the head of the National Union of Mine Workers.

The national coal board, which administers the nationalized pits, said 16,701 men were on strike at 14 mines. Reports from the mine area, quoted by the British Press association, put the number of strikers at 25,000 and the mines at 16.

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These sources said an understanding was reached that Argentina would withdraw a controversial amendment, introduced at a meeting of the committee on aggression which had been expected to give quick approval to a pole to pole security zone. It was agreed at the same time that the United States would consent to a change in the debated treaty article.

Sen. Arthur H. Vandenberg (R-Mich.), U. S. delegate, had declared the Argentine amendment "restriction on even the obligation to consult in the case of aggression and a violation of the United Nations charter."

Vandenberg, taking the center of the stage today, also addressed a joint session of the Brazilian congress at which he said that completion of the hemispheric defense pact by the 19-nation conference, which convened Aug. 15 and had virtually finished the treaty draft, by yesterday would "strengthen and encourage peace forces throughout the world" and "set the organization of the United Nations a significant example."

The Argentine proposal aimed off the debate would apply the principle of "effective jurisdiction" only within the pole to pole security zone in which any attack would constitute an aggression against all the American republics.

In submitting the amendment, Argentina asked:

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After the official start the ships will take off at five-minute intervals, and race officials said they hoped to get them all on their way within an hour.

William P. Odom, of "round the world record fame," reached here from Houston, Tex., today in his clipped winged P47, with which he says he expects to win. He was accompanied by his friend, R. A. Cole, flying the "Reynolds Bombshell," a converted A26 bomber.

Cole is not eligible for the trophy dash, but he indicated he might go along anyway for the ride. Asked what his plans were, he remarked: "We'll probably beat Odom back there."

A prime favorite is the past year's winner, Paul Mantz, movie stunt man and charter service operator. He will be flying the same P51 in which he averaged 435.5 miles an hour in the past year's dash, but has installed a few gadgets with which he expects to coax a little more speed out of the sleek Mustang.

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Sometimes noses are just like people. They run without getting anywhere. They also get people into trouble. When a man has his nose broken, in two places, he should stay out of those places.

"Spending a delightful time by the sea. Weather not too good, but hope it'll be better tomorrow," said Mary Lou Francis, 243 Lee avenue.

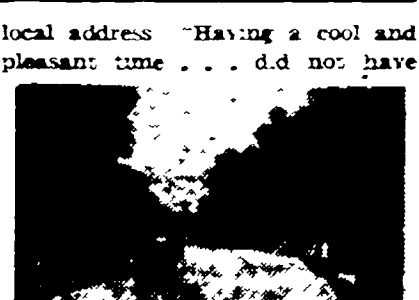


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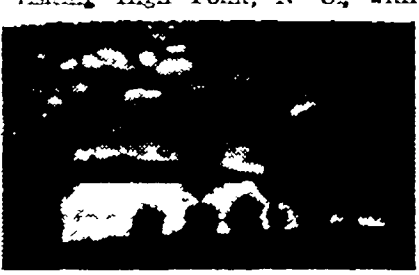
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A Challenge trophy, which must be won three times for permanent possession, will feature the local Farmers' Hunter class, for horses whose home stable is within a radius of ten miles of the show grounds.

Challenging Chestnut Lad, who won the class last year for his owner, Helen Pennick, will be Rustic II, owned by Betty Jane Behney; Rappahannock, owner of Joseph L. Eastwick, and Thespin, owned by Robert J. Pegler.

The open jumping class, consisting of eight jumps in the ring, starting at four feet, will show Thunder, owned by S. S. Barratt, Sun Bunny, owned by Rene Randall, and Tummy, owned by Charles Kulp, among the competitors.

Mounts in the working hunter class, which will be shown on the outside course, will include Off Shore, owned by Kulp, May Glass III, owned by Joseph Myers, and Edith's Miss, owned by Marilyn Hyden.

In the hunter hack, Dr. J. M. Deaver will show Evening Hour, Mrs. Barratt, Kilrea and Theek, Lois Ann Helweg, Slannoth Latto, and Dr. and Mrs. William Buller Murray.

Participating in the local open jumping class for horses owned by members of the Eagle, Pickering, Kimberton, and Bellewood Hunt clubs, will be Corn Tassel, Briggett, and Timothee, owned by Mrs. William F. County and Brandy, owned by Abram Detweiler.

The Ludwig's Corner Horse show Special will see, among others, M. E. Mills' Best Ever and Entry; Frank Clark's Andy Rainstorm; Mrs. Clark's Reno Gold, and William H. Brower's General.

Entries in the handy hunter class include Gun Powder, owned by Knute Rondun. Rock Falcon shown by Dr. and Mrs. William Buller; Sox, shown by Marilyn Hayden, and Pepper, owned by Martha Bishop.

The knockdown and out sweepstakes will see in action Melvin Frings's Riptide; Sam Demenger's Bella D, and Betty June Behney's B-Fx.

Dr. Edward W. Powell, of Bryn Mawr, and William Evans, of Malvern, will be the judges.

Refreshment stands on the grounds will be supervised by the Girl Scouts.

BASSO PASSES
KINGSTON, N. Y., Aug. 29 (AP)—Herbert L. Waterous, 78, who was a leading basso with the Metropolitan Opera company in 1908 and 1909 and appeared for more than 30 years with Gilbert and Sullivan companies, died today.

Obituaries

Funeral services for **IDA S. (HAUT) DANNEHOWER**, wife of the late Harry R. Dannehower, 117-A KING STREET, were conducted at 2 p. m. yesterday in funeral parlors at 404 High street, by the Rev. Luther A. Krouse, pastor of Emmanuel Lutheran church.

Interment was made in Mt. Zion cemetery.

Bearers were Richard Schwab, Walter Schwab, Leslie Galloway, Samples Galloway, Morris Bittling and James Byrnes.

CLARA BARBARA (SCHURG) GILBERT, 70, wife of the late William D. Gilbert, 622 NORTH EVANS STREET, died early yesterday morning in Pottstown hospital after a lingering illness. She had been a patient in the hospital for three weeks.

The last of her family, she was a member of the Emmanuel Lutheran church.

Servitors include a son, Leonard Saylor, 1319 Queen street; two grandchildren, Allen and Carolyn Saylor, and a niece, Ruth Rightmeyer, at home.

Services will be held Tuesday at 2 p. m. from a funeral home at 112 North Washington street, with interment in Pottstown East End cemetery. The Rev. Luther A. Krouse will officiate.

SENATOR IMPROVED
RENO, Aug. 29 (AP)—Senator P. A. McCarran (D-Nev.) was reported resting in a hospital today after having experienced a heart attack the past week at Tonopah. His condition was said to be good.

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Funeral Rites Held For Victim of Fire

Funeral services were held yesterday morning for Eleanor Wentzel, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence J. Wentzel, 575 Howard street, Stowe, who died in Pottstown hospital Tuesday from burns received when a kerosene can flared while she was playing in a field near her home on Monday afternoon.

Services were held at 9 a. m. from her parents' home. An Angel's mass was celebrated at 9:30 a. m. in St. Gabriel's Catholic church, Stowe, by the Rev. Francis E. Suchanek, rector.

Interment was made in Holy Trinity Catholic cemetery, Stowe.

Bearers were Joseph Zuzeno, John Birmingham, Charles Daniels, David and George Moser and Daniel Dolla.

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Girl Improved After Plunge Into Creek

Peggy Ann Anders, 10, was reported slightly improved in the Elm Terrace hospital, Lansdale, where she was taken after she fell into the Perkiomen creek at Salford Tuesday night.

Peggy Ann, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Anders of Oak park, Lansdale, was walking along an embankment with Robert Schultz Jr., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schultz Sr., whose Summer bungalow she and her parents had been visiting, when she slipped and fell. The boy returned to the bungalow to tell the families of the accident. They hurried to the scene and found the little girl lying semi-conscious in a shallow spot of the creek. She was taken by automobile to the Elm Terrace hospital, where she was found to be suffering from a fractured collarbone, brain concussion, and bruises.

Her condition Thursday evening was described as serious, but she had recuperated slightly by last night.

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By MERCURY READERS

Percentage Data Asked

To the Editor: Perhaps the general public in this vicinity would like to be informed more extensively as to an article which appeared on the front page of Thursday's Mercury concerning the back pay due workers at Bethlehem Steel.

Maybe if the union and management of Bethlehem Steel would announce exactly what percentage of men got back pay, and exactly what percentage got no back pay and wage cuts, specifying the different job classes, then it might stop people from inquiring of every employee of Bethlehem Steel what they intended to do with all the money they would be getting.

Saying "a large percentage" does not nearly cover the facts as they are.
Petersburgville MRS. R. T.

Shower Parties Wanted

To the Editor: Why don't the foremen get the hoses out and make showers for the kiddies these hot days? If they can spare water to wash the Reading company concourse, they should be able to spare some for hot kiddies these days.
Pottstown JED

Sweep Own Steps First

To the Editor: We are trying to teach Japan, Italy and Germany how to run their governments in a democratic way. But what about our own country?

Look, for instance, at our rotten elections, in Kansas City where they have robbed the ballot boxes. What is the difference forcing a person to vote for a certain candidate or stealing his vote? How many of the big shots are still serving their sentence?

If a case enters the court, what is usually the result? Either a whitewash or probation.

We should sweep our doorsteps before we want to tell others how to run their governments.
Boyetown G. R. N.

Need Human Relations Engineering

To the Editor: Many, too many, ex-G.I.s, and other students are going in for engineering. We just broke another world record flying around it. But in social problems were about where the stage coach was.

Can't slide rules, micrometers, microscopes and Carnot's law be applied to our ordinary human problems of living with each other?
Pottstown PUZZLED

FOR THE LIVING OF THESE DAYS

By VICTOR P. PATTERSON
General Secretary Y.M.C.A.

"BUT GO THOU THY WAY TILL THE END BE; FOR THOU SHALT REST, AND STAND IN THY LOT AT THE END OF THE DAY." Daniel 12:13

YOUR DAILY LIVING IS UNFITTING YOU FOR HEAVEN IF YOU—

Put out eager and desperate hands to clutch what some day must be left behind.

Say, "Let us eat, drink and be merry, for tomorrow we die."

Do not love your enemies.

Constantly sell your convictions for a handful of barley.

Keep silence in the presence of wrong, worshiping self-ease, self-indulgence.

Stand by and see the weak struck down without protesting against the tyranny.

Have a petty which is like stucco, that will peel off in wet weather.

Are waiting to be convinced intellectually of the inspiration of the Bible.

Keep your money, multiply it tenfold, put it out at exorbitant usury, pile it up, while worthy enterprises go begging.

Are trying to live on the sale of your orthodoxy.

Have clever hands, a stalwart body, but a sick soul.

Love the world and forget Him who saved it.

Sell your manhood or womanhood for cash, or pleasure or fame.

Cannot find room for Jesus Christ, give Him the "go-by."

Are doing nothing to close the chasms which creed and class, competition and selfishness, blood and belief have made.

THE LIFE WHICH YOU NOW LIVE IS UNFITTING YOU FOR HEAVEN IF YOU—

Fill the present with strenuous Christian service.

Set your heart so that the direction in which your life runs is one that your conscience and God can approve.

Show regard, for all the deepest things of life, never lessen your diligence until you have attained your goal.

Realize that each act that you do is weighted with eternal consequences.

Travel lies common way with cheerful Goodness—put your trust in God.

Can be patient, calm and useful.

Keep the Commandments.

Realize life is only guaranteed to the pure in heart.

Are constantly living in an atmosphere of self-restraint and spiritual thoughtfulness.

Have a heart that is warm, sympathetic, rich in kindness and pity for the souls of men.

Have the courage to say "No" to the luxury that unifies your soul.

Are providing the enlightened and inspired leadership that will give your fellowmen a sure faith.

Set your heart's desires and your spirit's trust in Jesus Christ.

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come the bride of Mr.

Jack Groff, 36 Chestnut

street.

Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS

Editor, The Mercury, August 29.

Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Wal, if that campaign against the long skirt, launched by a group of Texas women, spreads nation-wide, a lot of clothes designers may find themselves out on a limb.

"Ice Cream Cures Hiccups," says a headline. What worries most children is that they just can't learn to fake them!

And may: Two persons who never could speak the same language are a Russian vote expert and a Hollywood yes-man.

Maybe you air the same.

GRAMPAW KED OAKLEY



Farmer Better Off Than in Many Years

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29 — "I have read or heard somewhere," writes T. B. S. of Charlotte, N. C., "that the farmer is the most prosperous person in the United States today and that he is getting the largest share of the inflation pie. Is it true that the cost of living cannot come down until Congress withdraws some of the price guarantees and benefits that were given to stimulate food production during the war crisis?"

Answer: I am not an authority on the comparative income or wealth of the various classes of people in the U. S. But official figures show that the man on the farm is better off than he has been in many years. It is true that his production costs have risen, but not in proportion to his return.

His share of the gross national income is now 10.2 percent. It was only 8 percent in 1929 and it had dropped to 7.5 percent in 1933. Moreover, there are less of them to share this larger income—only 10,200,000 now compared to 11,300,000 in 1929.

BOOST: The most graphic evidence of the farmers' improved status shows up in the estimated income per capita. It has increased from \$615 in 1929 to \$2000 annually today.

His take-home pay has shown a boost because of the disparity between increases in industrial and agricultural goods. The manufactured articles he buys have gone up only 66 percent since 1933 while the things he produced have increased in price by 17 percent.

Here is a comparison of 1939 and recent prices on a few key agricultural products, which show why the farmer prospers and the consumer suffers:

Wheat: a bushel: Seventy-four cents as against a recent \$2.36; corn a bushel, 50 cents as against \$2.36; hogs per hundred pounds, \$6.68 as against \$28.13; steers per hundred pounds, \$9.96 as against \$28.00; cotton per pound, nine as against 34 cents.

OUTPUT: The farmer's lot will deteriorate when and if European countries get back into normal production, and prices may fall for city consumers. But there is little immediate hope of a sharp reduction, as government price supports will continue through 1943 at least, by act of Congress.

Even then the guarantee of a certain percentage of parity may not be withdrawn. As there was need to boost production through grant of these benefits in time of war, they may have to be extended to assure sufficient output for the feeding of foreign countries.

Butter as well as guns may be required to implement the Truman-McCabe program to save the world from Communism.

The Worry Clinic

By DR. GEORGE W. CRANE

TOMMY X, 15, is a high school sophomore.

"Dr. Crane, I am a steady reader of your case records." He recently informed me after my address before his high school assembly. "I have found your subjects very interesting and helpful. Sometimes I use them for ideas, to develop in my English themes."

"I am fifteen years of age, and feel that I should know something about sex. My parents have never talked to me about it and probably never will, unless I ask them."

"But I can't do that, regardless of how hard I try. Oh, I know a lot about the subject, since I have picked up a great deal from my pals, but I don't think all I've heard is the truth."

"So, Dr. Crane, I wish you'd discuss this problem in your column. A lot of us boys in high school are watching for it. But don't use my right name in the case, for I don't want anybody to know I asked you."

So I've called him Tommy X, and have decided his case is so universal among youth as to warrant further discussion today.

Millions of teen-agers are needlessly confused, terrified or obsessed with guilt complexes, just because their parents or teachers have never given them the full and unprejudiced story of sex.

As a physician, I've had teen-age girls come to me in terror because they thought they were dying. And boys who had been preyed upon by quacks have consulted me, thinking they had venereal disease, when they had nothing of the sort.

Moreover, young people by the tens of thousands still have guilt complexes in this realm of worry, lest they are going to lose their minds or go insane. Why? Because they have occasionally indulged in self-sex practices.

While the current debate goes on as to whether parents or teachers or clergymen or physicians should give young people a little sane scientific counsel on the important subject of sex, the newspapers are coming to the front as one of America's chief educational forces.

With their war on venereal disease, their support of medical examination prior to marriage, and their sponsoring of such scientific columns as this one, they are methodically educating people while others are still quibbling about how, when, why and where.

Self-sex practices are not wise, but they do not lead to insanity. It is criminal, therefore, to terrify youth and drive them to patent medicine quacks just because some numbskull of the past visited an insane asylum and witnessed self-sex practices among the inmates.

The self-sex practices did not produce the insanity even though the insane may engage in them. In fact, monkeys and apes at the zoo also practice self-sex stimulation, as do babies and most boys and girls until marriage eliminates the need.

I have hundreds of records in my files of men and women who are very bitter toward their parents because the latter failed to give them correct sexual information early in life.

But I have no record of anybody who has protested because his parents gave him too much sound sexual information, or because they gave it to him too early!

If you are in doubt, therefore, give your child too much information instead of too little. Give it too early instead of too late. And don't flush or act embarrassed. You are prouder if you cannot discuss sex casually with your children.



In Hollywood

By JIMMIE FIDLER

HOLLYWOOD, Aug. 29 — Dana Andrews found out about the female of the species being deadlier than the male when he and Joan Crawford staged their big fight scene for "Daisy Kenyon," he says Joan is one of the most sincere actresses he's ever known and has anyone some extra credit plasters. Jack Benny, suffering agonies from that persistent sinus condition, may submit to an operation before resuming his radio stint. I hear Tyrone Power has ultimatumed Annabella.

Bridge

By SHEPARD BARCLAY

Probably Fourth-Best

WHENEVER your partner leads against a No Trump game a card which is clearly his lowest of the suit, it is usually wise to treat it as being his fourth-best. Of course, it might be a third-best underlead of an honor, especially if it is a lead in the middle of the hand instead of at the start, and more especially if he had already shown another four-card suit. But in cases of about 50-50 doubt, the keen defender knows it ordinarily pays to count on it as from a four-card holding.

PREVIEW NIGHTS

PIC OF THE WEEK: "Life With Father" (William Powell, Irene Dunne, Elizabeth Taylor). The screen at its best, a "must see" attraction for every fan who's been begging for better pictures.

RECOMMENDED: "Mother Wore Tights" (Betty Grable-Dan Dailey - Mona Freeman). The kind of sentimental drama that will send you all home wearing satisfied smiles. Walt Disney's "Fun and Fancy Free" (Edgar Bergen-Dinah Shore). A red-letter screen event for all youngsters from five to 80.

"Maggie Town" (James Stewart-Jane Wyman-Kent Smith). An off-the-beaten path offering that will make you wonder why routine paths are beaten.

GOOD: "Joe Palooka in the Knockout" (Leon Errol-Joe Kirkwood-Elyse Knox). Melodrama with plenty of vitamins for action fans.

"BEST PERFORMANCE: William Powell in "Life With Father."

should she fail to start divorce proceedings by the time he returns from his South African jaunt, he'll file here, charging desertion."

Add of-all-things items: Peter Lorre's first book now ready for the presses, is poetry!

Hollywood rumor insists that Louis B. Meyer will switch from MGM to Universal-International, with Eddie Mannix assuming the Metro production reins. Ha! Robert Taylor, who once fought against being cast as a Romeo, now is begging studio bosses for more "romantic roles."

Alitar-bound: Susan Ridgeway (publicists dub her "The Hourglass Girl" because of her 36-21-36 measurements) and actor Glenn Pollack. Johnny Weissmuller and his estranged missus are financial settlement at long last, with Weissmuller giving each of their moppets a Beverly Hills apartment house.

Is there significance in the fact that neither Johnnie Johnston's parents, nor those of Kathryn Grayson, attended the wedding, despite newspaper stories to the contrary?

Recommended movie fare: "Gliming the Matterhorn," a documentary short subject, filmed by Monogram. Fred Astaire definitely will return to the screen as Ginger Rogers' co-star in an RKO film musical.

In spite of all the publicity given to Mark Stevens' romance with Hedy Lamarr, his estranged wife says she has no intention of suing for divorce in the near future.

I can't resist the temptation to tell you one more story about Hollywood's most spectacular newcomer, Hazel Roze. After finishing her role in "Body and Soul" she was loaned by Enterprise for a featured part in the Claudette Colbert-Robert

♠ J 10 8 5	♥ K Q 9 2	♦ 8 3	♣ 6 4 2
♠ 9 6 3 2	♥ A 7 4	♦ 7 4 2	♣ 9 3
♠	♥	♦	♣
W	E	S	N
♠ A Q	♥ 10 8 6	♦ Q 5	♣ A K Q 7 5

(Dealer: South. East-West vulnerable.)

South	West	North	East
1NT	Pass	2♥	Pass
3NT			

This North-South pair was supposed to be using strong opening No Trumps, so that the partner could afford to respond in a suit with quite a weak hand. But nobody at the table knew except South was that he was shooting for a top in the duplicate. And he got away with it.

West opened his spade 2, the K playing on the 8—not too clever defense—and the A winning. With only eight tricks in sight before risking a diamond shift, South felt his best chance to sneak the ninth through was by trying it at once in hearts. So he led the 6 and was disappointed to see West come in at once with the A and shift to his diamond 2. Fast won that with the K and South felt himself slipping.

Then light began to dawn for him as East staked and studied. Knowing nothing about that concealed club suit, East could not make him self believe West had four diamonds and South therefore only a doubleton headed by the Q. His reflections made him sure South held three diamonds, with either South of West holding the Q. If this was the case, his own best chance to bring in the suit rested on clearing it at the second trick by leading the J, as West might not unblock after an A lead if he had the Q. When South got this trick, he followed blithely with all the rest to score his game plus two extras—a whale of a top.

Your Week-End Question

What are the advantages and disadvantages to your side from bidding two suits, if an opponent eventually becomes the declarer?

Cummings-Don Ameche picture, "Sleep My Love." Her first day on the set, she was introduced to Miss Colbert. "My God!" exclaimed the irrepressible Miss Brooks, who seems determined to talk at no inopportune if it will win her attention. "Are YOU still in pictures? I thought you were too old!" Fortunately, she has a sense of humor. She merely laughed while other members of the troupe trembled.

Pottstown Sketches

By PHILLIPS



"Now as Harry James would play it, Roger Long, if he played like us."

50 Years Ago

August 30, 1897

VISIT CLASSMATE — W. B. Brunner and Howard Reiner, of Amityville, and Frank S. Morris, Bucksville, are house guests of their former classmate, Aaron S. Krause, 434 Walnut street. The men attended Kutztown Normal school together.

CASH FOR BREAD — Due to the advance in the price of flour, all bakers of Pottstown have issued notice that their business in the future will be on a cash basis. The price of bread will continue at 5 cents a loaf.

SEEKS OFFICE — J. M. Neiman, of this borough, is an aspirant for the Republican nomination of prothonotary. The convention will be held Sept. 14.

25 Years Ago

August 30, 1922

LAUREL LOCKS DISPLAY — One of the most interesting exhibits at the Chester county fair at West Chester this week is that of the Laurel Locks farms, a display of English-American white leg-horns. J. Ernest Place, manager of the poultry department, is in charge of the exhibit.

BLOCK PARTY — The second annual block party of the Kewtown Improvement association, held last night on the Schurkill road, attracted hundreds of persons from Pottstown and Chester county. The party was given for the electric light fund of Kewtown.

SERIOUSLY ILL — Mrs. Louis C. Lessig, 351 High street, is seriously ill with pneumonia, at Lavacoe Lake, Ill., where she is visiting her mother, Mrs. Charles Prichard.

10 Years Ago

August 30, 1937

SWALLOW PIN — Under the watchful eye of Jefferson hospital surgeons, 5-year-old Violet DeGreen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph DeGreen, Bechtelsville RD 1, last night rested in the Philadelphia institution, an open safety pin in her esophagus.

BEAUTY MEET — Miss Kay Kendrick, Collegeville, named "Miss Sunnybrook" in a contest the past week, will act as hostess tomorrow night at the local ballroom when many contest winners will compete for the title of "Miss Eastern Pennsylvania." Miss Kendrick, as well as the young lady selected tomorrow, will compete for the "Miss America" title in Atlantic City next week.

WATERMELON PARTY — A watermelon party was held last night on the lawn of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Vaughan, Jr., 349 Rosedale drive, in honor of their children, Andrew and Nancy, who recently returned from Camp Miller and Camp Hagan, Shawnee-on-the-Belaware.

Voice of Broadway

By DOROTHY KILGALLIN

Gossip in Gotham

DIANA HARRYMORE tells friends she and husband John Howard are champing at the marital bit. They may experiment with a "trial separation."

Davey Tough, the drummer genius, is in Bellevue recovering from a nervous breakdown. . . . Intimates insist the Greta Garbo-George Schlee whatever-it-is really friendship, just friendship, and offer as evidence the fact that although they sailed on the same liner, they plan a reunion with his wife, Valentina, in Europe. . . . The gambling spot a famed prize-fighter owns in his native city—in partnership with two hoodlums—was bombed by a rival mob last week and wrecked. The pineapple was tossed in Diana Barrymore

the afternoon, when the place was empty, and local police hushed the incident. . . . Ballerina Tamara Toumanova and screen writer Casey Robinson have Reno in the bean-o. She may name as correspondent the beautiful brunette ex-wife of a swing bandleader.

TOPS IN TOWN: Sonny Kendis' booney rhythms at Leslie House—a really snappy trio. . . . Jack Haley's funny stuff on the Roxy stage. . . . The June Christy-George Auld combine at Club Troubadour. . . . Copsey and Ayres in their jazzed up Hindu routine at the Copacabana. . . . Sliced turkey Eugene (wild rice and champagne sauce) at the Coq Rouge. . . . Macklin Marrow's MGY disc "Fantasia Mexicana." The exciting sound-the film, "Body and Soul."

Most amusing rumor of the week has it that Howard Hughes is all set to get his giant airplane finished and flying by Nov. 17, at which time he'll zoom it around over Washington in a colossal nose-thumbing gesture at Senators Ferguson and Brewster. . . . Her studio is worried that Ella Rains may do a "Jane Bryan" and forsake films to make marriage her only career. . . . How-sensitive can-sou-get? department: Just before they sailed for Europe, Rex Harrison and Lilli Palmer had one of the most heated quarrels of their otherwise happy married life. Rex became livid because Lilli had had all the travelers' checks, which she'd arranged for, made out in her name. Rex held that he would look heaped and unimpressive if his wife held the purses, and refused to sail until she went with him and had them all changed over to his name!

Esther Williams is making the autograph hounds mad. When she gets in a pique mood she scrawls "X" in their books. When they ask for her signature. . . . The George Feinbergs (he's president of Dazian's, the famed theatrical fabric house) are knitting tiny garments. A big Broadway night club is having trouble with its waiters. The boys aren't happy with the tourist trade's tips and are starting to demand larger ones when the amount left on the little trays isn't what they consider sufficient. . . . West Coast politicians are unhappy over the romance of Gov. James Folsom and Virginia Warren. He's a Democrat, she's the daughter of California's Republican Governor, and the politicians regard the situation as more of a hot potato than a

Off to France...

What a Picture Does...

DEPARTS — Genevieve Carlier, young French girl who flew from Paris to Pottstown for a one-year visit with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carlier, 237 High street, sailed for her native France Thursday aboard the S. S. America. Genevieve, who spent the year as a student at the Pottstown Senior High school, was scheduled to sail on the giant liner on September 10. A week-long strike which kept the ship tied to its pier caused so many cancellations, however, that she was notified that she could leave on the earlier sailing. With only 24 hours notice, the young French miss was unable to bid her friends goodbye. Yesterday, through her uncle, she expressed her thanks to the people of Pottstown for making her so welcome here, and said goodbye to her friends. While here, she took part in the Dunkirk celebration at Dunkirk, N. Y., and as a member of the Girl Guides, the French Girl Scout organization, spoke before many Girl Scout troops in this area.

FETED — Allan Peterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allan M. Peterson, 501 Highland road, who has been traveling through Europe with a youth hostel group from America repairing youth hostels damaged during the war, was entertained by royalty recently. The American group was entertained by the Countess Marie d'Ursel at the Chateau Moulbaix near Brussels, Belgium. Peterson had met the countess through the Red Cross when he was serving in Europe during the war. He is a student at the Wharton school of the University of Pennsylvania. . . . GIVE AWAY DEPT. — Interested in Persian cats? Ed Esbach, 765 Walnut street, has a Persian cat and one kitten he will give to the first caller who will provide them with a good home.

EFFECT — That Page One picture in The Mercury yesterday showing the North Franklin street William H. McCabe posing for a Labor Day weekend illustration had an odd twist. Bright and early yesterday morning, long before her arising time, Mrs. Bill McCabe was awakened by the ringing of the telephone bell. It was her mother-in-law, Mrs. John McCabe, 820 North Charlotte street. "When do you young folks plan to leave?" asked the elder Mrs. McCabe. "Oh, we're not leaving," answered Mrs. Bill. "We merely posed for the picture." "But when did you get delivery on your new car?" excitedly asked Mrs. John McCabe. "We didn't," answered the younger Mrs. McCabe. "That merely was one of the props for the picture." . . . The last question was pertinent because Bill McCabe has had his "name on the list" for a new car for months. He expected delivery August 1, but the new car hasn't showed up. McCabe, who is a teacher in the Senior High school, gets a big kick out of telling his friends he is getting a new car. "It's in my contract," he asserts, with tongue in cheek. "Teachers are allowed to buy a new car every 14 years."

SATURDAY SNICKER — The lights had gone out in the bus, and the tall man asked the lady, who had gotten on at the last stop, if he could help her find a strap. "I've already found one," she said. "Then would you mind letting go of my necktie?"

YOUR HEALTH

Wife of Native Here Dies in Delaware

Mary Lenora Frederick, 60, of Brack-Ex, Del., widow of John A. Frederick, Pottstown native who died four years ago, died last night in Wilmington General Hospital, Wilmington, Del., from injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

She was reportedly driving on a highway near Wilmington early Wednesday morning when her car went out of control on the rainy road, climbed an embankment and turned over. She suffered back and pelvic injuries.

The other occupant of the car, whose name was not given, escaped with minor injuries.

She is survived by a son, Harold J., a sister, Mrs. George F. Taylor, and a brother, Paul Dyer, all of Philadelphia. Also surviving are two grandchildren, six nieces and three nephews.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from a funeral home at 261 South Maryland avenue, Elmhurst-Wilmington, Del. Interment will be made in Grace Lawn Memorial park, Wilmington.

Officiating will be the Rev. R. H. Adams, pastor of Community church, Brack-Ex, a suburb of Wilmington.

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UMW May Reject Plan For Anti-Red Affidavits

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29 (AP) — The United Mine Workers threw out a broad hint today that its officers would feel justified in refusing to sign anti-Communist affidavits provided for in the Taft-Hartley act, but whether they actually would do so remained undetermined.

An article in the U.M.W. Journal said "Men whose forefathers, relatives and offspring fought on down the line from the Revolutionary war to World War II and who conducted the affairs of the unions in direct to the exclusion of Communists, Ku Kluxers and all other subversive elements" have an inherent right to decline an invitation to prove they are devoted to the American way of life.

PINE FORGE

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Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Mellinger were Mr. and Mrs. William Fisher and daughter, Judy; Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher and daughter, Gloria Jean; of Hagerstown, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Snyder, of Emaus; Mr. and Mrs. John Levensgood, and Samuel Levensgood, of Spring City; and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mellinger and daughter, Lynne Adele. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Lenzel, Mrs. Harry Mellinger, Lloyd Gibson Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rhoads, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rhoads, all of Pottstown.

Mrs. Katie Baker, of Pottstown, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dengler.

Mr. and Mrs. William Schollenberger, of Pottstown, spent a few days with the latter's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bonilton and son, David, and Mr. and Mrs. Clara Wunderlich enjoyed a vacation in Canada.

Mrs. Elizabeth Mauger is spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rhoads of Blue Ridge Summit.

Mrs. Emma Tyson, of Boyertown, visited her mother Mrs. Mary Fritz.

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PEACE TREATIES —

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much territory, a large part of their defense forces and \$1,330,000,000 in reparations. Italy is reduced to the status of a third-rate power, stripped of colonies, indebted by reparations, her homeland reduced and her army and navy cut to a relative shadow.

Only two countries will be relieved of the direct influence of foreign troops by the formal ending of hostilities.

Under the terms of the peace Russia is pledged to withdraw her soldiers from Bulgaria, while the United States and Britain must evacuate Italy within 90 days of the deposit of the instruments of ratification.

Russia is permitted to maintain troops in Romania and Hungary to "protect lines of communication" with the Soviet occupation zone in Austria. In Finland, Russia has a peace treaty agreement for a 50-year lease on the Porkkala naval base.

Another result of the termination of hostilities will be the ending of Allied control commissions in the five countries, although diplomatic representatives of the United States, Russia, Britain and—in the case of Italy—France will be empowered to supervise administration of the treaties. Should the disagree, the treaties provide that the differences be submitted to the United Nations.

The coming of peace in the five countries also will see the birth of the free territory of Trieste—a compromise hammered out by the peace conference to deal with the conflicting claims of Italy and Yugoslavia for the vital port at the head of the Adriatic sea.

The U. N. Security council is empowered to appoint a governor for Trieste "at the earliest possible moment" after the Italian treaty goes into effect. Until the governor is named and for 90 days after he takes office, the United States, Britain and Yugoslavia are authorized to keep 5000 troops each in their respective zones.

The Moscow radio broadcast, heard in London by the Soviet monitor, gave the five texts of the ratification instruments in rapid succession. They were identical except for the name of the conquered nation.

ASSAULT CASES —

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establishment, and from there to still another barroom in Stowe.

About 10 o'clock the two left together, but having just missed a bus, they decided to walk to Pottstown. Three quarters of a mile further, as they were passing a vacant lot between two homes, Johnson was said to have taken the woman into the field, where he forced her to the ground.

Mrs. Salter said she managed to escape him long enough to return to the roadside. She, meanwhile, had been screaming and crying.

She ran to the Favinger home where she called out and knocked on the door. Johnson stood back, then hid behind nearby trees when police arrived.

He will appear before Justice of the Peace Raymond C. Kelley in a hearing at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

Earlier in the evening, a Hilldale village woman obtained a warrant for the arrest of her husband, charging him with aggravated assault and battery with intent to kill.

Collegeville State police arrested Stanley Kijek, 26 13 Road B, Hilldale, at 9:45 o'clock in his home, and committed him to borough hall lock-up to await a hearing today before Justice of the Peace William W. Rickert Jr. Kijek was prosecuted by his wife, Dorothy.

HUNSBERGER —

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sisters, Mrs. George Gehring, Quakertown, and Mrs. Maggie O'Hara, Reading, and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2 p. m. from St. John's Lutheran church, Sumnerstown, with the Rev. E. L. Angstadt officiating. Interment will be made in the adjoining Frieden's Union cemetery.

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Academy Head Requests Trial in Different County

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 29 (AP) — A change in venue was sought today by George W. Balles Jr., headmaster of the Defunct Warmunster Military academy at Three Turns, Pa., who has been tried twice on morals charges involving a girl pupil.

Balles was scheduled for a retrial at West Chester in Chester county during the week of Sept. 8. Today, his attorney, Milton Jacobson of Norristown, filed a petition with Judge William F. Dannenbower of the Montgomery County court asking for a change of venue to a "convenient county."

Balles was convicted and sentenced in Montgomery County court. The State Superior court, on an appeal, granted him a new trial with a change of venue. Montgomery County court directed this trial be held in Chester county.

A second trial last Spring ended when the jury was discharged after reporting it was unable to reach an agreement.

PAIR IN THEFTS —

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Snell had had his license suspended indefinitely by the State bureau of motor vehicles on the grounds he was an "incompetent driver" because of his age. This suspension had gone into effect on April 1 of this year.

However, the defendant said that he needed a car in his business, which is that of selling rugs, brushes and mops.

It was brought out that the move to have his license suspended was initiated by his daughter, who feared for his safety.


"You better sell the car," warned Judge Dannenbower. "This is a serious offense. You are not to drive an automobile again as you're liable to hurt or kill somebody."

The court then imposed a fine of \$100 and the costs on Snell and directed he be placed on probation for two years on condition that he does not drive an automobile during that period.

Walter S. Miller, 27, of Perkio-menville RD 1, who pleaded guilty to molesting a 14-year-old Perkio-menville girl, was sent to prison from 11 to 23 months from Aug. 12. He also was ordered to pay a fine of \$10 and the costs.

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Borough Briefs

Justice of the Peace Charles A. Andre of the West ward will send a summons to Gerald J. Goodstart of Philadelphia, who is charged by Patrolman Paul Galoway with reckless operation of a motor car at High street, and Rose-dale drive Thursday night at 6 o'clock.

Paul Benne, 435 Beech street, is charged by Motor Patrolman Harold E. Hahn with speeding on West High street yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

William F. Rapp, of Temple, will receive a summons on a charge of passing a red traffic signal at High and Franklin streets Thursday afternoon at 2:36 o'clock. The charge is preferred by Motor Patrolman Hahn.

State Editor Dies; Pens Own Obituary

SCRANTON, Aug. 29 (AP) — Jesse Leroy Tiffany, 83, editor of the Nicholson Examiner, a weekly, the past 57 years died today at nearby Clark Summit State hospital. He had written his own obituary notice in which he outlined his family background and eulogized his father, S. Leroy Tiffany, publisher of the Wyoming county Republican.

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Educator Believes U. S. Must Remain Firm With Russia

Warning that the United States must be firm with Soviet Russia, even though the communist nation does not want a war at present, Dr. Alvin T. Goddard told Berks county teachers that Russia will try to spread her Communist doctrine before her people become enlightened as to how people in a democracy live, yesterday afternoon in Reading at the 85th Institute.

Dr. Goddard said that he believed that when the average Russian learns how much better off citizens of a democracy are than they are, they will turn from communism.

He explained at length how the United Nations operates and how it hopes to prevent war.

Sharing the lecture platform with Dr. Goddard yesterday was Capt. John V. Deuel, aeronautics expert and flyer in World War II. Capt. Deuel's morning talk dealt with Latin America, which he stated was much more "Indian America" than Latin.

Dr. Goddard stated in his morning address that two world wars were born in the schoolroom and a third can start there, too, unless the United States gets away from isolationism and assumes responsibility of interpreting to the world the belief that human personality is of supreme value.

To much emphasis is laid today on education for a livelihood and little on the development of personality and the centering of education on making a life and developing a humane outlook," concluded Dr. Goddard.

Capt. Deuel spoke of his meeting with Peron, leader of Argentina. "Peron, the Argentine dictator, embodies a little of the qualities of Hitler, of Mussolini, of Stalin, and of a gangster, and the savagery of F.D.R.," he declared.

Newton W. Gless, superintendent of county schools, was in charge of the two-day session in Reading. Devotions yesterday morning were conducted by the Rev. John K. Stouff, pastor of the Leasport Reformed church. The Rev. Thomas C. Knecht, of Oley, pronounced the benediction at the close of the afternoon session.

Dr. Sidney J. Sondheim, of Berks county Medical society, thanked the Berks teachers yesterday morning for their support of the diphtheria campaign the past year and pleaded for additional support again this year.

How fallen United States servicemen will be removed from their resting place in overseas cemeteries at the request of the next of kin and brought back to their homes will be told by Fred Erdman at the weekly meeting of Lions club of Boyertown in Boyer Towne Inn on Thursday at 7 p. m.

The program is being arranged by Charles Trout, who will also present his son, Charles Trout Jr., in several vocal selections. Trout was a member of Heidelberg college choir.

ESTATE ACTION
Ruth K. Wilcox applied for letters to administer the estate of her late husband, A. Arthur Wilcox, of Douglas township, valued at \$3000 in personal property.

Boyertown Classified
Deaths 1
ANTHONY—In Reading, on Tuesday, Aug. 26, 1947, Maritana D. Anthony, 533 E. Philadelphia Ave., Boyertown, aged 77 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the Elwood W. Ott Funeral Home, Warwick St., Boyertown, on Saturday at 2 p. m. Interment in Fairview cemetery, Boyertown. Friends may call Friday evening 7 to 9 p. m. (Ott)

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PERSONALS

Robert Foster, teacher in Colebrookdale township school, is a surgical patient in Community General hospital, Reading.

Frank Klein, formerly of Boyertown and now a science teacher in Kutztown High school, was named president of the Science Group of Berks county at the institute held in Reading yesterday and Thursday.

Mrs. Susan Pegler, 83, of 16 East Fifth street, was admitted to Graduate hospital, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barrett, House apartments, East Philadelphia avenue, are spending a week in Atlantic City, N. J.

Thomas Herman, a dairy inspector of New York City, is making a study of milk and dairy cows in the area. He was recently at the farm of Ernest E. Johnson, Gabelsville.

CAP Unit to Take Part In Anville Air Show
Boyertown Civil Air Patrol will participate in an air show Monday at Anville airport, near Lebanon.

John P. Shaffer, 21, of Boyertown RD 1, has re-enlisted in the U. S. Army according to Capt. I. Kretzschmar, commanding officer of the Army and AAF recruiting station, Reading.

Boyertown Area Man Re-enlists in Army

Shaffer has almost two years of prior service in the Transportation Corps. He is a son of Mrs. Mary Shaffer.

District PTA Leader To Advise Local Group
The executive board of the High school PTA will meet Tuesday at 8 p. m. at the home of the group's president, Mrs. Roland R. Leister, 528 East Fourth street.

Mrs. Eugene Smith, Pottstown, Southeastern district PTA president, will be present to assist officers and committee chairmen to formulate plans for activities during the 1947-48 year.

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Borough Council Meeting Listed Tuesday Night

The regular meeting of Boyertown borough council, scheduled Monday night, has been postponed until Tuesday at 8 p. m. because of Labor Day.

Banks will also be closed Monday, and no mail deliveries will be made by the post office. There will be no window service in the post office Monday. All buses in and out of Boyertown will operate on their Sunday schedules. Industries and stores will be closed.

MODERATOR ELECTED
WOOSTER, O., Aug. 29 (AP)—The 25th general Mennonite conference closed today with election of Bishop J. L. Stauffer, president of the Eastern Mennonite school, Harrisonburg, Va., as moderator for the next two years.

Sellersville Artist Injured in Accident

Stephen Sitko, 23, of Sellersville RD 1, suffered possible internal injuries early yesterday morning when the automobile he was driving overturned after leaving Route 852 at a curve three miles east of Bally.

Sitko was taken to Pottstown hospital in Boyertown Community ambulance. Pic Paul S. Fehr, of the State police, reported that Sitko was driving the automobile by using his brother's license after his own operator's license was suspended. Damage to the car, a 1946 model, was estimated at \$1200.

EX RAIL OFFICIAL DIES
CAMBRIDGE, Md., Aug. 29 (AP)—John B. Large, 65, retired assistant vice president in charge of traffic on the Pennsylvania railroad, died suddenly today at his country home on the eastern shore of the Chesapeake bay.

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TREASURY BALANCE
WASHINGTON, Aug. 29 (AP)—The Treasury position Aug. 27. Receipts, \$54,633,111.64; expenditures, \$57,322,300.49; balance, \$3,470,712.24. Total debt, \$280,028,955,248.98, increase over previous day, \$19,131,436.

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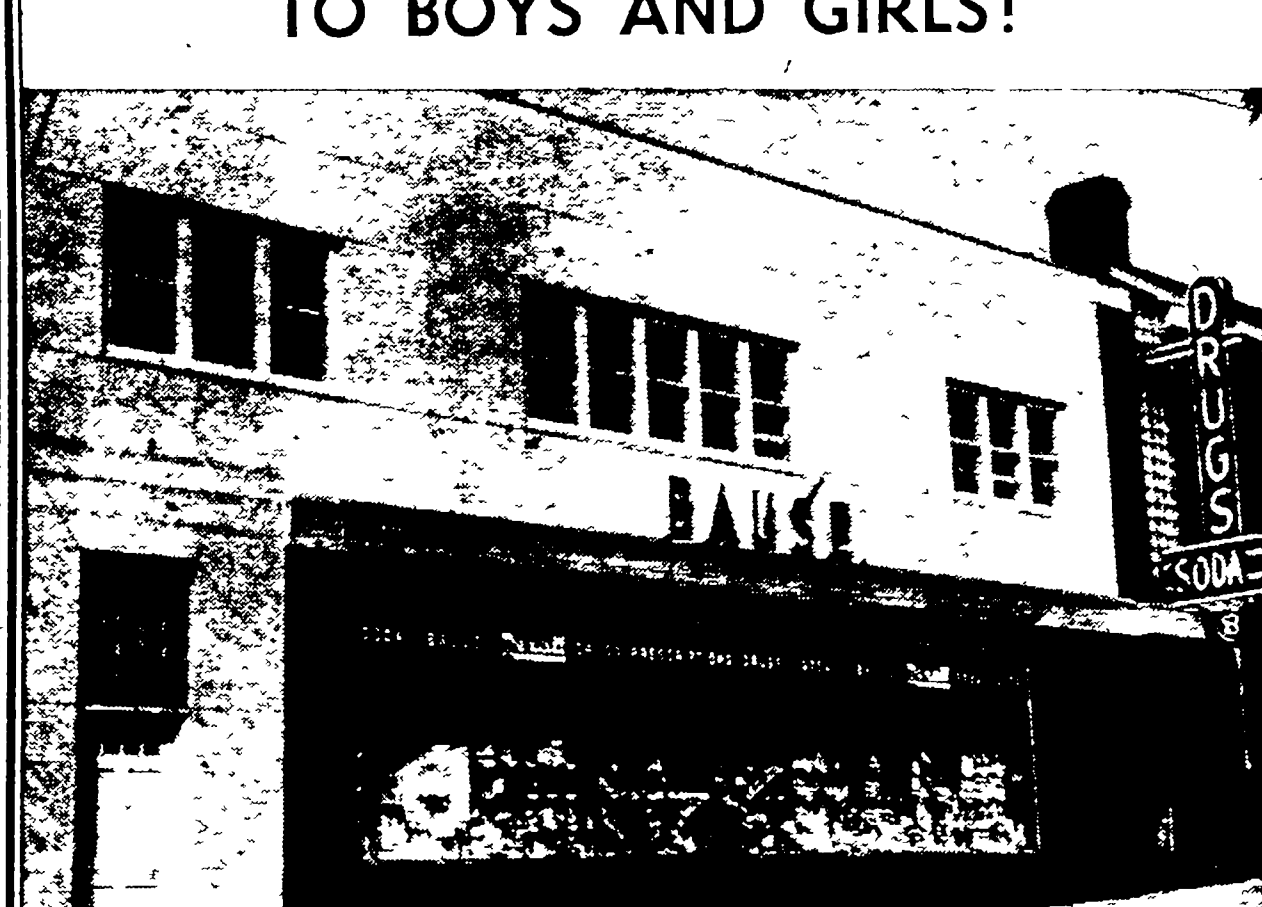
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Woman Pays \$15 Fine
For Disorderly Conduct

Mellie Moloski, of Roversford RD 1, was given a hearing at 6 o'clock last night at borough hall by Jus-

ice of the Peace Charles A. Andre, of the West ward, on a charge of being drunk and disorderly. She paid a fine of \$10 and costs of \$3. The arrest was made the past Thursday night by Motor Patrolman Thomas A. Lawler.

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Bank Head Wills
\$150,000 Estate to
Former Secretary

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 29 (AP)—Claude A. Adams, 67-year-old bank president, who killed himself ten days ago over the loss of his 31-year-old private secretary, left her his entire estate in a new will, filed for probate today.

Attorneys earlier had estimated Adams' private fortune at "over \$150,000."

The will was written exactly a month before he shot himself in the bedroom of his luxurious new North Hollywood home, leaving a note tucked in her picture frame addressed to Merna Lassen, who resigned in June after 13 years as his secretary. It read, in part:

"To think that you are now in the arms of another man is more than I can stand."

Adams' first will, filed Aug. 19, left his estate to the city of Los Angeles as a children's playground and recreational center, and his personal fortune for the education of his grandchild, Martin Brown of Los Angeles. It was filed by the attorney for Adams' Hollywood State bank, Walter G. Danielson.

Danielson said later he knew of no other will, but today Attorney Rex B. Goodcell, a long-time friend, filed the document dated July 18, in the canker's handwriting, reading:

"I, C. A. Adams, being of sound mind and without duress, do hereby will and bequeath at my death all my property, both personal and real, to Merna Lassen for her to have and hold and do whatsoever she may see fit with it. I hereby appoint Merna Lassen administrator of my estate, to act without bond, and I hereby disinherit all persons claiming any interest in my estate, whether blood relation or not."

Adams was found shot to death Aug. 18. He left seven notes scattered around his \$70,000 house, two of them to Miss Lassen.

Shoe Saves Pilot

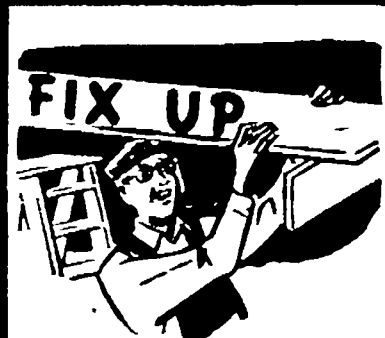


Racing pilot Jack Hardwick of Arcadia, Calif., thanks GI shoe for saving his life during shakedown flight at Santa Monica, Calif., for Thompson Trophy speed event of the National Air Races in Cleveland, Ohio. Hardwick snatched off his shoe and used it to force down lever that lowers landing wheels after lever broke.

Glasgow Man Held
On Disorderly Charge

Patrolman Paul Galloway and Motor Patrolman Harold E. Hahn answered a call to Glasgow at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, where they placed under arrest Prudent Mauger, a resident of that section, who is charged by Rebecca Trace with being drunk and disorderly and making threats.

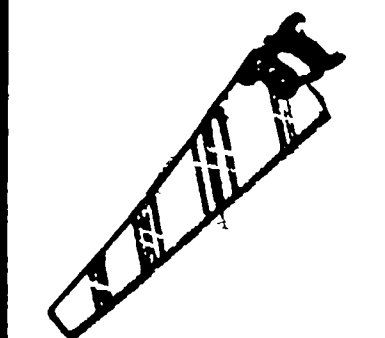
Mauger is slated for a hearing today before Justice of the Peace Charles A. Andre of the West ward.



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Atom Reaction Plant,
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LOS ALAMOS, N. M., Aug. 29 (AP)—A significant stride toward an atomic power plant, involving a harnessing of the atomic bomb, was announced today by the atomic energy commission.

The commission said it had developed an atomic reaction plant, called a "pile," which actually is a controlled form of the atomic bomb.

In it, an atomic explosion releases a steady, sustained flow of energy instead of turning it loose in an instantaneous, crushing blast. And operators can control the rate at which energy is generated.

The atomic furnace is a long way from being in itself a plant which can generate useful power for industrial or other purposes by splitting atoms.

But Dr. Norris E. Bradbury, director of the commission's Los Alamos scientific laboratory, said

the plant supplies a more intense source of "fast neutrons" and it is hoped this will "make possible the study of fast neutron chain reactions in more detail, and thus be another step toward finding the best type of chain reactor for the production of useful power."

He said the plant, developed secretly at Los Alamos, has been operated successfully since the past November.

It differs from other atomic "piles" in two major respects:

1. It uses the man-made element plutonium, which is the explosive material in the atomic bomb, rather than the natural element uranium.
2. It uses fast neutrons, produced from atom splitting.

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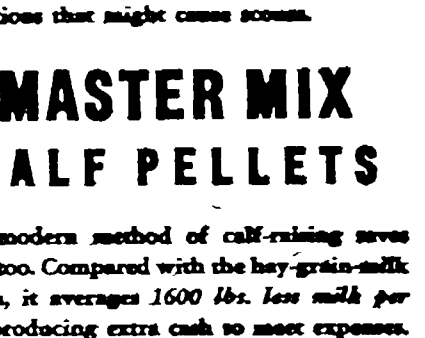
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Legion Women Hear Auxiliary President, Gov. Thomas Dewey

NEW YORK, Aug. 29 (AP)—Mrs. Norton H. Pearl, president of the Women's auxiliary of the American Legion, said today the nation's women, by the "merest action, decision, influence, may turn the tide one way or another" to peace or war.

"Today the world stands confused at a crossroad, where one road leads to peace and freedom, the other to unimagined horror of another war and universal dictatorship," she told delegates to the opening session of the auxiliary's convention.

"The merest action, decision, influence may turn the tide one way or another."

Mrs. Pearl, who returns Saturday, declared it was "High time we faced the facts of postwar life." She urged the auxiliary's 920,000 members to stop "dreaming of a quick return to a prewar world that no longer exists," and urged that "We reawaken our interest in an ordered world and subordinate ourselves to the common good of all mankind."

Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, greeting the delegates, emphasized "The importance of women's role" in the coming year when he said "We are living in one of our most critical periods in which the peace may be once again endangered."

Delegates and Alternates from all states and territories attended the assembly, which was devoted to routine business, introductions and some flag pageantry. Auxiliary members adjourned at noon to join the Legion session, at which Mrs. Pearl, a Detroit resident, was the only woman speaker.

There, she said auxiliary membership had increased from 800,000 to 920,000 and would top a million "in the near future."

She said the auxiliary had trained more than 5000 volunteer hospital workers who gave about 400,000 hours of service in 112 veterans hospitals.

She said also that the auxiliary had organized Christmas gift services in 111 veterans' hospitals, had expended family contact service to include 12,500 families and spent almost \$3,000,000 for rehabilitation work and for needy children of veterans.

Sir Ian Fraser, commander of the British legion, told the auxiliary that Great Britain could not buy enough food and raw material because the United States did not "buy enough of our goods."

"But given two or three years, we in Britain will be able to stand with you in the way we stood before the war years," he said.

Wave Commander, Eleanor Grant, Ruby, of the civil relations division, said soldiers and sailors were "heroes" during wartime, but "Between war soldiers and sailors are looked down upon."

"If we are to have armed forces with spirit de corps and a high morale, this attitude of the public must be changed," she declared.

Mrs. M. M. H. Eblett of Brenham, Texas, chairman of the committee for education of orphans, announced the winners of five national president scholarships of \$600 each to be used for college educations. They included eastern—Miss Frances Butler, Lewistown, Me.

Awards for music activity went to the state auxiliaries of West Virginia, Iowa and Pennsylvania.

Auxiliary Head



At a press conference in New York City, Mrs. Lee William Huron (above), Excelsior, Minn., unopposed candidate for the presidency of the American Legion Auxiliary, posed for this smiling picture. She will succeed Mrs. Norton H. Pearl of Detroit, Mich.

HOSPITALS

MEMORIAL
Admitted: Mrs. Florence Leopold, Limerick, maternity; Mrs. Peggy Maxwell, 44 King street, maternity; Jacqueline Caples, Pottstown RD 3, surgical; George Shaner, Roversford, medical; Edmund Smith, Limerick, medical; Mrs. Mary Smith, Limerick, medical; Henry Meyer, Hilldale, medical; Mrs. Mary Brazel, Phoenixville, maternity.

ADMITTED AND DISCHARGED: Daniel Stuffer, New Britainville, surgical; Discharged: Mrs. Mae Risher, Collegeville, maternity; Mrs. Marie Moser, Pottstown RD 4, maternity; Robert Frank, 228 High street, medical; Donald Reigel, 305 North Mantawney street, surgical; David C. Lucas, Stowe, medical; William Dabney, Philadelphia, medical; Mrs. Emily Davis, Holcomb, surgical.

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Admitted: Horace Crosby, Pottstown RD 1, medical; Mrs. Rose Mazzarke, Perkiomenville, maternity; Mrs. Jean Groff, Boyertown, maternity; Mrs. Shirley Saxey, Boyertown RD 2, maternity; Edna Strunk, 232 South Price street, surgical; Douglas Kerr, 615 Grant street, surgical; Mary Wise, 909 North Charlotte street, surgical; Joan Buchanan, 63 North Charlotte street, surgical; Peter Kish, 417 Cherry street, surgical.

DISCHARGED: Paul Richards, Royersford, surgical; Mrs. Stella Gaspar, Barto, maternity; Mrs. Jane Holloway, 352 Oak street, maternity; Louis Rogers, 236 Mintzer, surgical.

Mrs. Clayton J. Bates Honored by Church Class

Members of the Bethesda Baptist Sunday school recently held a surprise party for Mrs. Clayton J. Bates, wife of the pastor.

Mrs. Bates was the recipient of many lovely gifts after which the evening was spent in singing and delicious refreshments were served.

Among those present were Mrs. Cora Bressler, Mrs. Charles Garner, Mrs. Anna Krepps, Mr. and Mrs. Marty Bressler, Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Nesley, Rev. Clayton J. Bates and daughters, Martina and Dorothy.

To keep potato skins soft and tender, grease them with meat drippings before baking.

PERSONALS

The Rev. and Mrs. Delaine E. Story and family, 307 King street, returned home last night from a vacation in Greengarden and Big Rapids, Mich., visiting friends and relatives.

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Patricia Carol Berner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Berner, Birdsboro RD 2, aged one year.

Mrs. Daniel Egolf, 213 West street.

Keith Edward Oliver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harding Oliver, Hilldale, aged four years.

John L. Dickinson Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dickinson, 219 Johnson street, aged nine years.

Mrs. John Marsteller, Douglassville.

Sarah Ann Mogel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Mogel, 1122 High street.

John Kocoon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kocoon, 128 River road.

Mr. Lloyd C. Rhoads, Ringing Hill.

HOROSCOPE FOR SUNDAY
YOU READ extensively and assimilate information readily. You are forceful, energetic and ambitious, and have a liberal general ability, which will bring you success in all you undertake.

Tomorrow
Jean Heckman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Heckman, North Price street.

Anthony Almond Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Almond, 719 Walnut street.

John E. Frankenberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Preston Frankenberg, Limerick.

Grace Jane Yerges, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Yerges, 429 Lincoln avenue.

Raymond Hogan, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hogan, 1027 Queen street.

Mrs. Michael Stigora, 1125 Center avenue.

Have the griddle hot and ready when your hungry morning shift comes in for breakfast. It will be just right for baking if a few drops of water sprinkled on dance about—too hot if the drops go up in a hiss of steam—too cool if they just float.

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Jean L. Keiser, Henry R. Sotter United in Marriage

In the presence of the immediate families, Miss Jean L. Keiser and Mr. Henry R. Sotter were united in marriage yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride, The Rev. I. E. Jouson, Lancaster, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. A. Keiser, Maple Manor, Charlotte street, and Mr. Sotter is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. George Hotter, West High street.

A varied assortment of white flowers were attractively arranged throughout Maple Manor. Miss Keiser wore a powder blue street length dress with matching accessories and carried a bouquet of white gardenias, stephanotis, and a lavender orchid.

The reception following the wedding ceremony was held in the game room of Maple Manor which was also decorated with the assorted white flowers. The large three tier wedding cake in a circle of white gardenias was used as the centerpiece.

Mr. and Mrs. Sotter left on a wedding trip, destination unknown, following the reception. For traveling the bride chose a heavy silk crepe two-piece suit in the plum purple shade with black accessories and the orchid from her bridal bouquet.

The bride is a graduate of the Pottstown High school. She attended Syracuse University, Syracuse, N. Y. and the Pierce School of Business Administration. Mr. Sotter was a member of the elementary teaching staff of the Pottstown Senior High school and was graduated from the Valley Forge Military Academy and Muhlenburg College, Allentown. He is associated with an insurance firm in Philadelphia.

Following the honeymoon trip the couple will reside at the Colver apartments, Kenilworth.

Corn and Doggie Roast Honors Mrs. P. Bernhart

The Franklin Miller residence at Sanatoga was recently the scene of a corn and doggie roast in honor of Mrs. Pearl Bernhart.

Marshmallows were also toasted by the group.

Present were Howard Buchert, Walter Beck, Mrs. Dorothy Bean, Limerick; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Snell, and children, Ruth Ann, Sally, and Bobo, Mrs. Emma Will, and Miss Peggy Miller.

St. Gabriel's Auxiliary Changes Club Night

At a recent meeting of the St. Gabriel's Ladies auxiliary, it was announced that the meetings will be held on the last Tuesday of each month instead of the present meeting night.

Mrs. Eva Segner, president, presided over the business meeting which welcomed a new member, Mrs. Rita De Mario.

Hostesses were named for the first fall meeting on Sept. 30, at which time refreshments will be served. Hostesses are Mrs. Ann Coci and Miss Elsie Colatosti.

All members have been urged to attend the next meeting.

There's nothing like piping hot, fragrant muffins or gingerbread, fresh from the oven, to work wonders with a meal. They will make a breakfast hearty. They'll overshadow a remnant supper and bring eager eyes to any meal.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gross, Boyertown, are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Swatley, Boyertown RD 2, are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

Congratulations are being received by Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Nazary, Perkiomenville on the birth of a daughter yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

Congratulations are being received by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leopold, Limerick, on the birth of a son yesterday in Memorial hospital.

Congratulations are being received by Mr. and Mrs. James Good, 306 1/2 South Hanover street, South Pottstown, on the birth of a daughter in Memorial hospital, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brazel, Phoenixville, announce the birth of a daughter yesterday in Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen K. Maxwell, 44 King street, are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter yesterday in Memorial hospital.

New Fall Fashions To Cause Shortage In Fabric This Fall

NEW YORK, Aug. 29 (AP)—A fabric shortage as serious as at any time during the war faces American garment manufacturers this fall, says Philip A. Vogelmann, president of the Onondaga Silk company, one of the largest rayon and silk manufacturers in the world.

Causes are three-fold, declares Mr. Vogelmann. First is the change in the fashionable silhouette, with longer, fuller skirts requiring from a quarter to a full yard more fabric per dress. Second is the huge export volume of textiles. Third is recent labor troubles. He explains:

"If the American woman does not have the choice she should have of new dresses in her local store this fall, she cannot blame the fabric shortage. One bottleneck which slows her dress from the designer's brain to the consumer's wardrobe lies in the fact that each dress must be at least two inches longer and 18 or 20 inches fuller, that it has pleats and drapery and perhaps big sleeves."

"Another bottleneck has been the tardiness of the average department store executive in ordering enough new-looking merchandise to supply a certain and overwhelming demand from women who are tired of looking restricted as they did during the war."

Every foreign country with cash to buy anything is fighting for American fabric, says Mr. Vogelmann. England, which cannot import, and France, which has no cash, are virtually the only countries of Europe, Asia, Africa and South America where American dress goods are not pouring in. A large part of this export fabric is of the finest quality, he says, adding:

"American fashion producers use good fabrics in all price ranges, and foreign demand for better quality goods affects all brackets of the American style industries."

Although textile production is now full scale he says, American textile mills are running 30 percent behind the demand for goods.

In buying cherries for canning or recipe use, this may prove to be a useful guide: Three cups stemmed unripe cherries equals one pound, two and one half cups of stemmed and pitted cherries equals one pound.

Use cherries soon after purchasing for prime quality. If they must be held, keep them in a cool dry place.

Social Calendar

Mest Reunion—Tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the Rockville Park, route 73. The Berks county Wommennas will be the guest speaker. This reunion will be held rain or shine.

Honswives League of West Vincent Township—Meeting tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. C. Rav Loomis, East Nantmeal. The guest speaker will be a home economist who will speak on the subject "Preserving by Deep Freezers." The roll call will be "Hints on Canning."

Save empty thread spools until a rainy day. Then let the older children paint them gold or silver or bright colors for Christmas tree decorations.

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The schools in Wallace township will open Tuesday morning. The first and second grades will attend Indian town school's lower room, with Mrs. Miriam Pilman as teacher. The third and fourth grades will attend Lincoln school, Mrs. Freda Johnson, teacher. The fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades will attend Indian town's upper room, Mrs. Mary Epphimer, teacher. There will be half-day sessions the first four days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Allen of Wilmington, Del., were Sunday evening guests at the home of their cousin, Charles N. Wilson.

Elsie Reeder, who directs the choir at Fairview Presbyterian church, entertained choir members and their families at her home, Twin Maple West Nantmeal township. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Peck, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davidson, Mrs. William Lippitt, Mrs. Charles Elton, Mrs. Anna Lessig, Mrs. Marvin Furlong, Mrs. Prettyman, Jack Prettyman, Evelyn Crosby, Jane McLaughlin, Susanna Elston and the parents of the hostess, Mr. and Mrs. William Reeder. Ice cream and cake were served.

Mrs. Jesse Hause, Narberth, is visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Reiter, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Peck observed their silver wedding anniversary last week.

Mrs. Hiram Aaron, West Chester, is visiting her son, John W. Aaron.

Edward W. Keenan, Wilmington, Del., is visiting for a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Fleming.

Dr. Annie Matlack Wood, a former missionary in India; Dr. and Mrs. Guild Wood and children, Martin and Betty, of Weatherford, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Matlack the past week. A picnic was held in the visitors' honor Saturday evening.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henderson were Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Henderson and children, of Womelsdorf, Mr. and Mrs. Eagleson and daughter, Priscilla Ann, of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Siver, Kennett Square, Mrs. Katherine Fossell, Helen Maag, Elizabeth Lund and Edna M. Barrett, of Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. David Huber. Friday visitors at the Henderson home were Mr. and Mrs. William Fraser, State College, and Anna Major and Joseph Trego, Brandywine Manor.

The official board of the Glen Moore Methodist church met Monday to consider major improvements to the church property. There was a good attendance.

HARMONYVILLE

Miss Jean Garner, Star Route, Pottstown, corr. Phone Pottstown 2718. Charles Orr, delivery.

Bobby Beriolet was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Noodle, Douglassville.

Mrs. Grace Nummeker, Kutztown, recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wunderlich.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hartensine, Boyertown, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCaher.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Wynn visited Ruth Jacobs, Phoenixville.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brummer, Telford; Mrs. George Brummer, Royersford, and Mr. and Mrs. John Piersol, Emerson, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Garner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Arrers recently entertained the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Krik, Spring City; Mr. and Mrs. John Noble and children; Beate Artery, Knausertown; Mr. and Mrs. J. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Artchika and children, all of Pottstown; Mr. and Mrs. William Kroe-sow, Reading; and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kerper, Birdsboro.

SPRING MOUNT

Mrs. Alice Reinford, corr. Phone Schwenk 3181. Laverne Reinford, delivery.

Twenty-seven members of the Ladies auxiliary of Lower Freecreek, Spring Mount, took part in the Lansdale anniversary parade.

Walter Musselman, who has been ill, is reported as slightly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Geismar and family spent Sunday in Atlantic City, N. J.

Marjorie Joan Schick celebrated her fifth birthday anniversary Sunday.

Grace Gressman spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Souland.

Mrs. Warren Keeler returned home from the hospital Monday.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Schick included Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kline and family, of Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Faut Red Hill; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schick and family, Collegeville; and Mr. and Mrs. William Verhaeren and family, Glenside.

Mrs. Russell Fulmer, who has returned home from Sellersville hospital, is reported as steadily improving.

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St. Paul's, Walnut and Penn streets, the Rev. Michael E. Schmidt, pastor. Services: Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

Zion's, the Rev. Howard A. Kosman, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

Trinity, the Rev. John B. Franz, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

St. John's, the Rev. Paul C. Scheller, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

St. Paul's, Stowe, the Rev. Paul C. Scheller, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

LUTHERAN
Grace, the Rev. A. A. Wohlsten, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

Emmanuel, the Rev. Luther A. Krome, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

St. James, Dr. Gustave W. Weber, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

Transfiguration, the Rev. Theodore L. Fischer, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

BRETHREN
First, the Rev. William A. Martin, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

St. Vincent, the Rev. Michael R. Schmidt, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

St. John's, the Rev. John D. Taplich, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

BAPTIST
First, the Rev. Delaine E. Story, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

St. Peter's, the Rev. John Neja, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

METHODIST
Seaside Memorial, the Rev. James D. Macneave, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

St. Michael's, the Rev. William H. McCook, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

CATHOLIC
St. Alonius, the Rev. William H. McCook, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

Holy Trinity, the Rev. John Zbovny, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

OTHER CHURCHES
Assemblies of God Tabernacle, the Rev. Forrest T. Nelson, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

Christian Science, 910 High street. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

Bethel AME, the Rev. D. E. Owens, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

Trinity Evangelical Congregational, the Rev. Donald T. Ford, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; morning worship, 10:30 a. m.; sermon, 10:45 a. m.; service, 10:45 a. m.

Cornerstone Laying

At Swamp Parsonage Set For Tomorrow

The cornerstone of the new parsonage of the New Hanover Lutheran church, Swamp, will be laid at a special service at 7 o'clock tomorrow night.

The laying of the cornerstone, which has the year 1947 engraved on its broad surface, and the ritual accompanying the ceremony, will be conducted by the Rev. Edgar Cooper, pastor. The Rev. Dr. J. J. Kline, pastor emeritus, and William F. Lamb, William Wolfgang, Levan Seitz, John Remminger, and Norman Richards, officers of the church council, Lyman Schoenly, Gildersville, will act as mason.

A copper box will be embedded behind the stone. It will contain a copy of the Bible, several church bulletins, articles from publications pertaining to the parsonage, a picture of the church council assisting with the digging of the foundation, a page of The Mercury announcing the beginning of the work, and a dollar bill.

The entire assembled congregation will have an active part in the hymns and prayers of the ceremony, the Rev. Cooper said yesterday.

"The service will be one of thanksgiving to God for the joy associated with the progress of the building construction," he added, "and an invocation of God's blessing upon the edifice that it may prove to be a benefit to the life of the congregation and a factor in furthering the effectiveness of the congregation's work in the community."

The Sunday school orchestra will lead the congregational singing, and a chorus of children's voices directed by Miss Thelma Richards will sing an appropriate song of blessing.

The parsonage is being built by members of the congregation who have been working on the building since July 21. Construction is expected to be completed by Thanksgiving Day.

It will have a basement garage, possibly a game room, study, living and dining rooms, communicating breakfast room and kitchen, and three bedrooms.

COLEBROOKDALE

TRIPLETS BORN
WILKES-BARRE, Aug. 23 (AP) — Triplets, two girls and a boy, were born at General hospital today to Mrs. Samuel Slomowitz, 28, of Swoyerville. The father is a drug-gist.

EQUIPMENT TESTED
SHARON, Aug. 23 (AP)—Latest fire-fighting equipment and newest techniques were demonstrated today at sessions of the Northwestern Pennsylvania Firemen's association here.

The local Sunday school class taught by Mrs. Lloyd Fritz held a picnic at her home. Games and contests were enjoyed and a picnic dinner and supper was served. The following were present: Janet and Dorothy Weiss, Gail Neuman, Shirley Gresh, Shirley Erb, Patsy Focht, Joanne Fritz and Mrs. Fritz.

Clarence Plank, New York City, is visiting his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Plank, and brother, Alvin Plank.

Some recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Miller Magee and family were Mr. Magee's uncle and aunt, Charles and Ella Magee; his sister, Madeline Magee, and friend, Mary Bowman, all of Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Perich are enjoying a vacation trip to Canada. The Perichs reside with Walter Grim and family.

Shirley Eachus, Mary Ann Kirlin, Barbara Bongarzone, of Pine Forge, visited their teacher, Miss Amy Dengler.

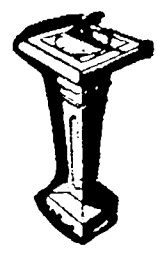
Mrs. Robert Storm and daughters, Sandra and Nancy, of Washington, D.C., and Mrs. Harry K. Erb and son, Tommy, spent several days with Mrs. Martha Venzke and family.

Barbara V. Whitacre spent a day at Atlantic City, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hertzig spent the weekend at Atlantic City.


The August meeting of the Friendship circle was held at the home of Aurelie Yorgey with 12 girls present. Miss Yorgey read the topic lesson, "To Have a Friend, Be One." The game of "Hot Numbers," was played and refreshments served.

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In any period of national crisis, in war or peace, the government turns to us—the homes of America—the families and workers of America—and we never fail.

For our homes and our families are built on faith—faith in God's power and providence in human life. Our churches inspire us to live uprightly, to be happy and hopeful, and to build that most blessed of all institutions—the American home.

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Members and friends are invited to attend services tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock at the new parsonage, Swamp Lutheran Church.

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GREEK CABINET —

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Independent, who was made minister of supplies and provisional minister of merchant marine.

An authoritative spokesman for the Tsaldaris said Tsaldaris had left the way open for a broadened government and would resign if a coalition cabinet could be effected. He pointed to the omission of Zervas from the new cabinet as evidence of good faith on Tsaldaris' part.

The spokesman said all the concessions Tsaldaris had offered during the week of fruitless negotiation with the opposition "still hold good." These included an offer to form a coalition under a new premier.

However, the spokesman did not clarify the issue of the war ministry, returned to Stratos despite opposition objections to his previous administration.

Tsaldaris' solution of the crisis was contrary to the efforts of United States representatives who tried to convince Greek political leaders of all complexion to join in a broadly representative government.

With only 166 votes, even with the support of Napoleon Zervas' nationalists, Tsaldaris appeared certain to be defeated in a confidence test if the opposition ranks held firm.

Tsaldaris appeared angry following a meeting with opposition leaders summoned tonight by Demetrios Maximos, resigned prime minister who was announced yesterday as the agreed choice of all political leaders to head the new government.

One of the participants walked out of the meeting after a few minutes and said there had been a "complete breakdown."

Gunmen Get \$38,000 In Oregon Bank Holdup

SWEET HOME, Ore., Aug. 29 (AP) — Two bandits wearing sunglasses walked into the Sweet Home bank today, forced 19 persons to the floor, and strode out with nearly \$38,000 in cash despite employees' 20-minute attempt to stall them.

The bandits — an old, short, stubby man, and a taller, younger one — fled the scene in a car after two shots fired by a neighboring auto park clerk missed.

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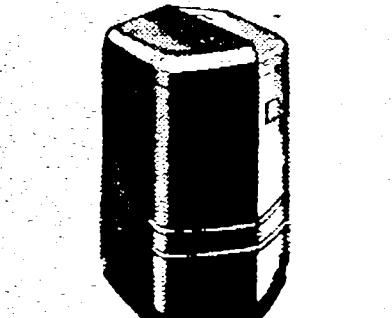
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Driving Course In School Still Under Study

According to present plans, a driving course will not be instituted in the Pottstown Senior High school, Ralph F. Holloway, secretary of the school board, said yesterday, but a decision on the course is being held in abeyance for further consideration by the school board.

Holloway said that the instituting of the course involves several problems which must be discussed by the board before any definite action can be taken. If it should be approved by the board, it still would be able to be fitted into the curriculum this year.

Among the problems connected with beginning the course, Dr. Frank M. Haisman, superintendent of schools, said, was that of finding a replacement for Earl R. Strange, Senior High school teacher.

Strange qualified as a driving instructor at a special course given in Philadelphia, but as he teaches several subjects at the school, he has a full schedule of classes. A replacement to teach these classes would have to be found if he was assigned to a driving course, Dr. Haisman said.

Several cars have been offered to the school from various sources, including the Pennsylvania Automotive Association, if a driving course is instituted.

SCHOOL LUNCHES —

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we'll keep our penny and nickel items in crackers and cookies."

She wasn't sure about ice-cream, but ventured a guess that the cost might rise by a penny a portion, since the cost of milk has been rising steadily.

These and similar increases, remember, are the result of just one year's price inflation. Last year's prices, however, were still near the old OPA level, which kept them reasonably close to pre-war prices.

A few years ago, meat and vegetable items were only a nickel, with other prices in proportion — milk cost five cents, desserts five cents, and the cost of the average lunch was 25 cents.

The high cost of living, instead of being something the school kids have heard about only at home, or at the candy store, will become a reality for them this year, and pessimistic newspaper reports would indicate that the end is not yet in sight.

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FIRE EQUIPMENT —

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The order is granted by borough council. The borough has floated a bond issue of \$45,000 to pay for the fire alarm improvements. Borough Manager Dow I. Sears said last night the remainder of the money will be used for the purchase of additional equipment, including fire alarm boxes and new wire lines. He said no wires will be allowed in the system that are more than three or four years old.

Plans call for a new board at borough hall. So complete will be the system that a fire chief can call on a portable telephone to the various fire houses.

There are now approximately 15 miles of wire with 77 alarm boxes. Twenty new alarm boxes are included in the new equipment. There will be about five replacements of present boxes so there eventually will be a total of 90 boxes in the system.

Spader told a Mercury reporter the system here will be strictly modern and outstanding. It will surpass the alarm equipment in many large sized cities, he said.

Present last night were Chairman Ralph Weiss, William Romfich, William Twaddell and Gerald J. Daly, of the fire committee; Burgess William A. Griffith, Borough Manager Sears and Spader.

BROOKLYN EX-GI —

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concerned about the pictures and burned them."

Single, 27 years of age, Kivi served in the Army from Sept. 1, 1942 to Feb. 6, 1946.

After leaving the Los Alamos installation, the FBI said Kivi later got a job at the Brookhaven national laboratory of the atomic energy commission at Patchogue, N. Y.

He was relieved of that job immediately, Hoover added, "as a result of the investigation of the prior theft."

Kivi was taken into custody when he returned to his home at 341 17th street, Brooklyn, tonight.

A complaint formally charging him with the theft, the FBI said, was filed before the United States commissioner at Santa Fe, N. M., today.

He will be arraigned before the U. S. commissioner for the Eastern district of New York tomorrow morning.

Settlements in Liberia were established in the 1820s as an African home for freed U. S. slaves by philanthropic societies.

The bitterest civil war in Colombia's history started in 1899, with 100,000 deaths in battle in three years.

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Ecuador Chief



Col. Carlos Mancheno (above) engineered the bloodless one-shot coup to seize the government of Ecuador and replace Jose Maria Velasco Ibarra as president. Velasco Ibarra found asylum in Colombia. (AP Wire-photo)

Royersford Chemist To Marry in Ohio

Wedding of W. Lane Schofield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Schofield, 339 Summer street, Royersford, and Miss Sarah Jane Neander, daughter of Mrs. J. P. Robbins, Boswell, Ind., is planned for tomorrow at the home of Miss Neander's sister in Springfield, Ohio.

Schofield, a graduate of Sheffield Scientific school of Yale university, is a chemist, employed at a distillery plant at Relay, Md. The bride-to-be, a graduate of University of Kentucky, is secretary to the manager of the same company's plant at Relay, Md.

Spring City Congregation To Hear Guest Speaker

Edgar Harrop, of Phoenixville First Presbyterian church, will be guest speaker at the morning service in Spring City Methodist church tomorrow at 11 o'clock.

The Rev. Charles F. Salkeld, pastor, who is recovering at his home from a recent illness, is expected to conduct the service Sunday, Sept. 7, and will preach the sermon at the 11 a. m. service.

It was announced that Theodore R. McKeldin, mayor of Baltimore, Md., prominent Methodist layman, will be the speaker at annual Rally Day exercises of the Sunday school on Sunday, Oct. 12.

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Mrs. Howard Hanson, corr. Phone 344-3-3.

Mrs. Alex Zelinski and daughters returned to Chicago after spending a month with the former's mother, Mrs. Anna Milczanowski.

Mrs. Mary Benfield, Bally, is spending a week visiting Ross Hason and family.

The Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Gresh are spending part of their vacation at Atlantic City, N. J.

The Mennonite Home anniversary celebration will be held Sept. 13. Dinner and supper will be served on the home grounds.

The Frederick township school will open Sept. 2. Steller's school will be closed and the pupils will be transferred to Mock's and Church school.

Linn Halberstadt, of Paris, Mo., visited the Hason family Wednesday.

SEVEN CHILDREN VICTIMS OF WHOOPING COUGH

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Trinity Episcopal Congregational, the Rev. G. H. Seide, pastor. 9:15 a. m., Sunday school; 10:30 a. m., worship; 7:30 p. m., special 45-minute service.

Baptist, the Rev. Fred G. Bantz, pastor. 9:45 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., worship.

Sacred Heart, the Rev. Joseph J. Conway, rector. Masses at 8:30, 10 and 11 a. m.

Methodist, 9:45 a. m., church school; 11 a. m., worship, speaker, the Rev. H. H. Hartman, Royersford.

Grace Lutheran, the Rev. Paul Henry, pastor. 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 10:45 a. m., the service, sermon by the pastor.

Nazareth the Rev. George W. Andrews, pastor. 9:45 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a. m., worship; 6:45 p. m., Junior meeting; 7:30 p. m., praise meeting; 7:45 p. m., evangelistic service.

Mennonite Brethren in Christ, the Rev. Paul E. Baer, minister. 9 a. m., Sunday school; 7:30 p. m., evangelistic service, sermon by the pastor.

Reformed church, the Rev. Franklin P. Watts, pastor. No services this Sunday.

Church of the Brethren, the Rev. Caleb Bucher, 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 10:45 a. m., worship.

Epiphany (Episcopal) the Rev. Caleb Cresson, 9:30 a. m., Church school; 10:30 a. m., Holy Communion.

Garwood Sunday school, M. G. Reed superintendent; 2 p. m., service.

SPRING CITY

Reformed, the Rev. Garrett O. Adams, pastor. 9:30 a. m., church school; 11 a. m., worship; 6 p. m., Youth Fellowship.

St. Clare's Catholic, Lindfield the Rev. Joseph J. Conway, rector. Masses, 8:30 and 11 a. m.

Bethel Methodist, 9:30 a. m., Church school; 10:45 a. m., worship; 7:30 p. m., Youth Fellowship; 8 p. m., service.

Mennonite Brethren in Christ, the Rev. Paul E. Baer, minister. 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 10:30 a. m., devotions.

Methodist, the Rev. Charles F. Salkeld, pastor. 9:45 a. m., church school; 11 a. m., worship; Edgar Harrop, Phoenixville, speaker; 7:30 p. m., service.

St. Joseph's Catholic, the Rev. Joseph J. Conway, rector. Mass, 10 a. m.

Lutheran, the Rev. Joseph Schantz pastor. 9:30 a. m., church school; 10:45 a. m., Mass.

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Paul Endy, proprietor of East Bridge street cafe, Spring City, was suddenly afflicted with an attack which affected his legs, hip and

back yesterday afternoon in his place of business. He was stricken while carrying a case of soft drinks and fell limp to the floor, losing the use of his legs.

After treatment by a doctor he improved and remained in a seated position, but pains returned to his hip and back.

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AT THE OPENING of the 26th convention of the American Legion in Madison Square Garden, New York City, Gov. Thomas E. Dewey addresses the Legionnaires. Seated behind him is Mrs. Norton H. Pearl, National President of the Women's Auxiliary. In his speech, Dewey asked for universal military training of the nation's youth. (International)



PRACTICAL JOKE, traditional with American Legion conventions, is enjoyed by straight-faced Legionnaire at left who has just applied electrified cane treatment to young woman at the corner of 33rd St. and 7th avenue in New York City. (International)



FORMER MARINE David Richard, 22, talks to police officer in Hollywood, Cal., after his step mother-in-law, Mrs. Rose Wolfeld, 54, was arrested for allegedly attacking him with a metal pipe because he refused to let her share one-room apartment. (International)



GIRLS AT GERMAN CAMP.—Lithuanian, Estonian, Latvian, Ukrainian and Polish girls from the U. S. zone of Germany go through their morning exercises at a camp at Grafenwiesbach, where they enjoy a two weeks' holiday.



THE WIVES OF THE NAVY AND MARINE CORPS PILOTS who established the new world speed records in the Navy's jet Skyrocket plane, admire the gold stars presented to their husbands in lieu of second Distinguished Flying Crosses at the Navy Department in Washington. Shown are (l to r): Mrs. T. F. Caldwell, wife of Comdr. Turner Foster Caldwell, Jr., U. S. N., who made the first record flight at 640.7 miles per hour; Comdr. Caldwell; Maj. Marion E. Carl, U. S. M. C., who broke the record five days later at Muroc Air Base, California, with 650.6 miles per hour; and Mrs. Marion E. Carl, his wife. (International Soundphoto)



SOVIET DELEGATE Andrei A. Gromyko is shown addressing the United Nations Security Council at Lake Success, N. Y. He warned that any attempt to tamper with the big powers' right to cast a veto might result in "wrecking" the United Nations. The Council debated various ways of restricting the use of the veto by its members. (International)



TREETOP LOOKOUT—Water buffalo pull a cart past a tree where a lookout post has been concealed by Greek troops in the village of Mikrovrisi, a community previously raided several times by guerrillas.



ENTERED in the Bendix trophy event of the National Air Races, 19-year-old Bill Lear and Diana Cyrus discuss their chances in forthcoming speed hop from Los Angeles to Cleveland. (International)



PICTURED AT A PRESS CONFERENCE in Washington, D. C., officials of East Indonesia and West Borneo urge that the United Nations "at least" hear their case against the republican government in the current Dutch-Indonesia conflict. In the group are (l to r): Sjarif Hamid Alkadrie, head of the government, autonomous territory of West Borneo; Tjokorde Gde Soekawati, President of East Indonesia and Nadjmoeddin Daeng Malewa, Prime Minister, East Indonesia. (International Soundphoto)



ASSISTANT PASTOR of St. Ambrose Church, Endicott, N. Y., the Rev. Maurice Moriarty stands by to administer the last rites of the church to the victims of a light plane crash near the Tri-Cities Airport. The victims were identified as Clyde H. Smith of Twin Orchards, and his ten-year-old nephew, Dale K. Miller. (International Soundphoto)



THREE INCUBATORS FURNISH a temporary roof for triplets, born to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Noenick, Los Angeles, who for months have been trying to find a home of their own. The father, a truck driver, served with the Coast Guard during the war. He had shared a home, owned by his mother, when the three new responsibilities (known as A. B. and C. at the moment) were brought by the stork. (International Soundphoto)



FOLLOWING A COLLISION with a Long Island Railroad locomotive, a portion of a 20-ton trailer-truck is shown burning on the tracks near Mineola, N. Y. An unidentified driver was burned to death and two members of the train's crew were injured in the crash. (International)



OAKLAND, CALIF., DETECTIVES are shown examining some of the scientific burglar tools used by a youthful East Bay criminal gang before their capture. The gang, which was headed by a former Oakland special policeman, used an airplane, "walkie-talkies" and portable acetylene torches in their safe-cracking enterprises. Thirteen persons ranging from 17 to 31 years, including six young women, were jailed in the initial roundup by police authorities. (International Soundphoto)



IN BEHALF OF THEIR PARENTS, Maria Teresa Escoda and her brother, Anthony, receive Medals of Freedom from Gen. Courtney H. Hodges, commander of the First Army, at a ceremony on Governors Island, N. Y. The parents were honored for their heroic sacrifices during the Japanese occupation of the Philippines. They supplied clothes and medical supplies to the victims of the invaders. Mr. Escoda was executed by the Japs and his wife captured and presumed killed. (International)

Flagg's Bid for Final Playoffs Delayed by 3-3 Tie

Amvets Score Run In Seventh to Save Chances for Title

Lady Luck, the little girl who dresses in green and who carries a load of four leaf clovers, deserted Flagg's in the seventh inning of last night's baseball game on Franklin Field and took all her clovers with her.

JACK KRAMER TO MEET PAIS IN CUP MATCH

Ted Schroeder Pitted Against Bromwich; Team Captains Are Satisfied

NEW YORK, Aug. 29 (AP)—Jack Kramer, the United States and Davis Cup champion, will meet the amateur tennis champion of the respective nations, will clash in the opening singles match of the Davis Cup challenge round at Forest Hills tomorrow before an expected crowd of more than 10,000.

This was the luck of the draw that the challenging Aussies had hoped for, as they feel it gives them their best chance of finishing the first day's play all-square. They are counting on their veteran star, Jack Kramer, to defeat America's other singles player, Ted Schroeder, in tomorrow's second duel.

Fall's name was the first pulled out of the big cup in the official draw on the clubhouse veranda. Then Mrs. T. E. Davenport, wife of the referee of the cup matches, picked out the name of Kramer.

"Just what we wanted," beamed Roy Cowling, captain of the visitors. "I shuddered until they read off Kramer's name on the second pull. It suits us fine," echoed Kirk Man Jr., Cowling's opposite number. "We really had no choice in the matter. I'm glad, though, that Kramer will get to open it."

Schroeder and Bromwich played the opening match at Melbourne last winter, and the five-set thriller that set the Americans off flying toward their 5-0 shutout victory over the Australians.

Bromwich, who has been playing brilliantly in practice this week, fully expects to turn the tables on Schroeder tomorrow. There is little hope in the visitors' camp, however, that Falls is equal to the task of holding Kramer.

The Aussies, in fact, do not believe that any amateur tennis player who ever lived could have coped with Kramer when he is at the top of his game, as he appears to be at present. Jack Crawford, the former Aussie star, gives it as his considered opinion that "Big Jake" could have licked Don Budge on the best day the redhead ever saw.

If they can get an even break tomorrow the invaders feel they have a good chance of winning the doubles on Sunday, in which Kramer and Schroeder are expected to team with Bromwich and Colin Long, the latter a husky, respected newcomer to Cup play.

The best of the experts are conceding the Australians over the weekend is a pair of victories—Bromwich over Schroeder and a possibility of squeaking through in the doubles. They figure Kramer a cinch to capture both his matches, and Schroeder will be heavily favored to defeat Falls in the first match on Monday.

THE STANDINGS

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Come to Papa, Baby

Flagg's leading by a 3-3 score going into the bottom of the seventh, needed only three outs to gain the final playoffs, but a peculiar play occurred, and the Amvets managed to pull through with a 3-3 tie as some 1000 fans sat through seven innings of thrilling baseball at the local ball orchard.

After winning the first game of the CMY Industrial league's semi-finals from the Amvets, Flagg's came back last night in a strong attempt to make it two straight victories for a berth in the finals. The Amvets finished the regular season in first place and were heavy favorites to take the playoffs.

Flagg's finished the season in a tie for third place and had to play in a special playoff to determine whether or not the team would reach the Shaughnessy playoffs. Flagg's won in the playoffs and also won the toss of the coin with Doehler's, electing to take third place.

The fans were a little surprised when the Amvets fell under Flagg's in the first semi-final game, and were even a little more surprised when they almost dropped out of the Shaughnessy all together last night.

Bob Millard was Manager Al Hammed's choice to face the Amvets last night, while Gabe Royer took the mound for Manager Mickey Munimer's Amvets.

Millard lasted the entire game and gave up seven safeties while Royer was taken out in favor of Lefty Umstead, who pitched against Flagg's in the first playoff tilt, in the sixth inning. Royer was lunched for all three runs and seven hits during his stay on the hill, and Umstead retired the last six men in order in the two innings he worked.

After Umstead retired the side in order in the top of the seventh, the Amvets came to bat for their last chance against Millard. The Amvets were trailing by a 3-2 count at the time.

Harry Anderson greeted Millard with a screaming double into deep right center field. He took a big lead off the key-stone sack on the next pitch and Millard threw it into the dirt. Catcher Merrill Manger didn't get his hands on it for a moment and Anderson started for third.

When he was half way to third, Anderson stopped and Manger checked his throw to third baseman Harry Penrose. When Manger checked his throw, Anderson took advantage of the hesitation and started for third again. Manger, realizing what was happening, hurried his throw to Penrose and three wide of the mark and the ball rolled into left field, allowing Anderson to score the tying run.

Flagg's got to Royer in the first inning. Merrill Hook opened the game by beating out a bunt down the third base line. Red Hadley popped up to second, but Charlie Hertzog followed with a single to center after Hook had stolen second which accounted for the first run.

The Amvets got the tally back in the second inning with the aid of an error. Jack Kurtz beat out an infield bopper to shortstop and continued on to second when Steak Wasselink failed to hold the throw from Hook. Umstead sacrificed the runner to third and Anderson drove the tying run across with a single to right.

Flagg's didn't let the tie and went ahead with another single run in the third on a walk, sacrifice, in-field hit and an error. Hertzog scored when Dan Leightcap let the ball roll through his legs.

The lead was short-lived however, for the Amvets came back to tie it up again in the third on four base hits. Royer opened with a single and went to second on Leightcap's one-bagger. Walt Sowers bunted attempting to advance the runners, but Royer was thrown out at third by Millard.

Jake Feley followed with another line drive hit to center and Leightcap rounded third and headed for home. Lefty Millard fielded the ball in center field and threw home in time to catch Leightcap trying to slide across.

With two out and runners on second and third, Jack Kurtz blasted a fast ball into left field for a one-bagger scoring Sowers from third base.

The fourth inning was scoreless, but Flagg's took advantage of an error in the fifth to score its third run. Hertzog collected his second hit and Lou Millard sent a high towering fly into right field. Umstead ran over and reached out for the ball but let it drop out of his

Dodgers Boost Lead to 7 1/2 Games

BETHANY WINS JUNIOR LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP

Tops Grace Lutheran In Series Finale on Walton's Homer, 6-3

A three run uprising in the fifth inning enabled Bethany to defeat Grace Lutheran, 6-3, and annex the Junior Recreation league championship last night on The Hill school far fields.

Bethany opened the scoring in the second inning only to have Grace Lutheran tie it up by pushing across a singleton in the bottom half of the second frame.

Two runs checked in for Bethany in the fourth for a 3-1 lead and Grace Lutheran made it 3-2 with another run. In the fifth, Bethany got a runner on first and second and Al Walton followed with a home run to deep left field.

Dave Brown, starting pitcher for Bethany, walked two men in the fifth inning and Grace Lutheran took advantage of his wildness and scored another run. Dick Ricketts was sent in to relieve him, and the lanky hurler retired the side without allowing any more runs.

Ricketts went on to blank Grace Lutheran in the remaining two innings allowing Bethany to register a 6-3 victory and the league championship.

The finals were scheduled to be a three game series, but Bethany took the first game Wednesday night and then came through with last night's win to cap the series.

Bethany's record: 10-1. Grace Lutheran's record: 8-2. The finals were scheduled to be a three game series, but Bethany took the first game Wednesday night and then came through with last night's win to cap the series.

Gene Fecak (above) is caught by the camera just as he starts to leave the ground to snag a pass during a recent practice on Franklin field. Fecak started at right end the past year and hopes to fill the same position this year. The Pottstown High school Trojans closed their second week of practice under Coach Heber T. Meyers yesterday with four weeks still ahead before the first game on Sept. 28.

Trojan Gridders Close 2d Week Of Practice; Meyers Begins to Mould Offense for 1947 Season

Coach Heber T. Meyers worked his Pottstown High school Trojans a little longer than usual yesterday morning, but then decided to give them the afternoon off as the second week of practice closed on Franklin Field.

The Trojans will have a three day vacation before starting in with hard work again at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning.

The past five days were devoted to mostly offensive work with Meyers sweating blocking and more blocking. The Trojan mentor pointed out to the squad that the team will need better blocking than was seen the past year because of the small back-field.

Meyers, working along with End Coach Bill McCabe and Line Coach Morrell Griggs, has been building an offense similar to what the Trojans used the past year and will start work Tuesday on defense.

The Trojans practiced a lot of passing during the past week with the ends showing more ability to catch passes than did the 1946 group of ends.

A lot of work was done on ground plays and the boys were also put through a lot of short scrimmage plays which were held to get them used to making it up.

The coaches said they are impressed with the spirit of the team and that they hope it will continue. Meyers and the others haven't heard any gripes from the boys thus far and the Trojans take the hard work in stride.

Home Run Leaders: National: Mike Gargas, 44; Willie Red Sox 26; Kiner, Pirates 24; Gordon, Indians 24; Marshall, Giants 22; Heath, Browns 22.

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BATTLE OF CHAMPS Cardinalettes to Compete For Regional Championship

The Pottstown Cardinalettes, 1947 Pennsylvania State girls softball champions, will pack their bats and balls and head for the big time again Tuesday night when they travel to Philadelphia to participate in the regional championship tournament.

Besides the Cardinalettes, the defending champs from the District of Columbia, the 1947 champions of the District of Columbia, Delaware State champs, Virginia State champs and the Maryland State champs will participate.

The winner of this tournament, which is scheduled to be held Tuesday and Wednesday, will go to Lakewood, O., for the national softball championships sometime next month.

The Cardinalettes are pitted against the Delaware State champs in the first round, and should the locals win, they will draw a bye in the second round and move right into the finals.

The Delaware State champs are the Continental Fiber company girls of Newark, Del. and have been champs of that state for the past two years. The Delaware champs and the Cardinalettes will meet in the first game Tuesday night at 8:30 o'clock on the field at 44th street and Parkside in Philadelphia.

The Cardinalettes have bolstered their squad with the addition of two girls who played against them in the State tournament at Allentown the past week. Floeste Donovan, the girl who

pitched a no-hit, no-run game against the 17th Ward girls of Reading in the tournament, has been added to the Pottstown pitching staff and "Sniffles" Hoover, third baseman for the 17th Ward team, has been added as an utility infielder.

Donovan pitched against the Cardinalettes in the final game of the tournament for the Bethlehem Amorettes and limited the Pottstown girls to two safeties. One of those hits, however, was off the bat of Tena Stewart and drove in two runs which won the game and the championship for the Cardinalettes.

Donovan is the third pitcher at present on the Pottstown team. Stewart and Betty Mengel are the mainstays and Donovan should happen to ease anything should happen to either of them.

Hoover's regular position is third base, and while playing in the State tournament at Allentown, the little blonde-haired infielder drew much applause and praise from the fans. She is tops on fielding and is dangerous at the plate, not only because of her hitting ability, but because of the fact that she is small and can easily work a pitcher for a walk.

The Cardinalettes will play host to Bachman's Cubs, Sunday afternoon in an exhibition before heading for Philadelphia Tuesday. Bachman's Cubs are managed by the one and only Ann Bukowski Bachman who is rated as one of the best girls pitchers in the East. The Cardinalettes, however, hold two decisions over her this year.

Linfield A. A. Meets Ridge Fire Company Linfield A. A., fresh from a thrilling victory over Limerick A. A., will play host to the Ridge Fire company baseball team in an exhibition game scheduled to be played tomorrow afternoon at Linfield. Linfield club officials announced the game would get underway at 2:30 o'clock.

NORCO ACES PLAY The Norco Aces will play host to Graterford's baseball team this afternoon in an exhibition game scheduled to start at 2:30 o'clock on the Norco Field.

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FLOCK DEFEATS NEW YORK FOE BY 6-3 SCORE

Gain a Half Game on Idle Cardinals; Koslo Is Losing Pitcher

BROOKLYN, Aug. 29 (AP)—Selling into Lefty Dave Koslo for five hits and five runs in the sixth inning which also featured a steal of home by Jackie Robinson, the Brooklyn Dodgers defeated the New York Giants 6-3 before 34,000 fans tonight to increase their National league lead over the idle St. Louis Cardinals to seven and a half games.

Ralph Branca allowed the Giants only four hits to register his 19th victory. He has lost nine. A crowd of 34,568 saw the opener of the three-game set.

Doubles by Johnny Jorgensen and Eddie Stanley were the big hits of the five-run inning. The Giants had taken a 1-0 lead in the first inning on a double by Jack Lehrke, a long fly and Branca's wild pitch. The Brooks tied it in their half of the fourth on singles by Pete Reiser, Bruce Edwards and Dixie Walker.

Willard Marshall accounted for the Giants second run in the seventh when he hit his 32nd home run. It was the Giants' 181st of the season and put them only one homer away from the major league record of 182 set by the New York Yankees of 1926.

New York Brooklyn ab r h o a ab r h o a Gehrig, 1c 4 0 0 2 0 Stanley, 2b 4 1 2 3 4 Kerr, 3b 4 0 0 1 2 Robinson, 3b 3 1 2 3 0 Marshall, 1b 1 1 2 0 0 Reiser, 1b 4 1 1 1 3 Mize, 1b 3 0 0 1 0 Furillo, 2b 4 0 0 3 0 Cooper, c 3 0 0 5 0 Edwards, 4 0 1 5 0 Gordon, 1f 3 1 1 2 0 Walker, 4 4 2 2 0 Risher, 2b 3 0 1 1 2 Jorgensen, 3b 1 1 0 0 1 Lehrke, 3b 3 1 1 0 0 Reisk, 3b 3 1 1 0 0 Koslo, p 2 0 0 0 0 Branca, p 3 0 0 0 1 Trinkle, p 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 30 3 4 5 8 Totals 34 6 11 27 12 New York..... 001 000 110-3 Brooklyn..... 000 105 006-4

Brooklyn's lineup: Gehrig, 1c 4 0 0 2 0 Stanley, 2b 4 1 2 3 4 Kerr, 3b 4 0 0 1 2 Robinson, 3b 3 1 2 3 0 Marshall, 1b 1 1 2 0 0 Reiser, 1b 4 1 1 1 3 Mize, 1b 3 0 0 1 0 Furillo, 2b 4 0 0 3 0 Cooper, c 3 0 0 5 0 Edwards, 4 0 1 5 0 Gordon, 1f 3 1 1 2 0 Walker, 4 4 2 2 0 Risher, 2b 3 0 1 1 2 Jorgensen, 3b 1 1 0 0 1 Lehrke, 3b 3 1 1 0 0 Reisk, 3b 3 1 1 0 0 Koslo, p 2 0 0 0 0 Branca, p 3 0 0 0 1 Trinkle, p 0 0 0 0 0

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St. James Strikes Back to Hand Trinity 15-4 Loss

Still Trail in Series Two Games to One Despite Easy Win

Striking back after a 16-5 defeat handed them Wednesday night, St. James' fighting baseball players turned the tables on Trinity Reformed in the third game of the Sunday School League's Shughnessy playoffs last night on Swinehart Field by a 15-4 score.

The victory was St. James' first in the series and still leaves Trinity holding a 2-1 edge in the series. The fourth game of the final series will be played Tuesday night on Swinehart Field.

St. James drew first blood in the first inning when they pounced Warren Hoffman for a single run. In the second inning, St. James pounded the right-hander for four more runs before Trinity was able to score its first run.

Trinity made it 5-3 with a two-run upswing in the third inning off the offerings of Clarence Albright, but St. James put the game away with a four-run outburst in the top of the fourth. Six runs in the fifth inning made it a one-sided affair and Trinity managed to score once in the sixth to bring the scoreboard to its final reading, 15-4.

Albright went the distance for St. James and limited the defending champions to nine hits over the

BOSTON RED SOX NIP ATHLETICS IN 2-1 CONTEST

Mickey Harris Hurls Three-Hitter; Fans Honor Birdie Tebbetts

BOSTON, Aug. 29 (P)—Behind the three hit pitching of Mickey Harris who turned in his first complete game of the season, the Boston Red Sox tonight celebrated Birdie Tebbetts' night by edging the Philadelphia Athletics 2-1 before 24,063 cash customers who swelled the total for 14 night games at Fenway park to 463,822.

Before the game Tebbetts, the popular Sox catcher, was presented a five passenger convertible style automobile and a long list of other gifts as fellow residents of his native Nashua, N. H., and from fellow alumni of Providence, R. I., college.

Harris, who had been bothered by a sore arm most of the season now has won five games. He retired the first nine A's in a row then after issuing the first two walks, the likeable southpaw got the next six batters in succession before Pete Suder doubled to left in the sixth to get the first hit for Philadelphia.

Boston Braves Top Phils by 9-2 Score, Gain on Cardinals

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 29 (P)—The Boston Braves moved to within a half game of the St. Louis Cardinals tonight as Bill Voiselle had the Phils to eight hits to hang up his fifth straight victory and his mates socked Ken Heintzelman, Charley Schanz and Fred Schmitz for 17 safeties and an easy 9-2 triumph before 12,369.

The Phils took a 1-0 lead in the first inning when Charley Gilbert was hit by a pitched ball and scored or Johnny Wyrostek's double. Boston came back with two in the second. Connie Ryan doubled and scored on Dick Cullen's single.

Boston
Holtzman, 2 0 0 2 0
M.C. 4 1 2 0 0
Lewie, 2 0 0 0 0
Grace, 2 0 0 0 0
Verone, 1 0 0 0 0
Spence, 2 0 0 0 0
Fence, 2 0 0 0 0
Vee, 2 0 0 0 0
Maneuse, 2 0 0 0 0
Wynn, 2 0 0 0 0

Philadelphia
LaPina, 2 0 0 0 0
Wark, 2 0 0 0 0
Gibert, 2 0 0 0 0
Witek, 2 0 0 0 0
Parker, 2 0 0 0 0
Hand, 2 0 0 0 0
Hansen, 2 0 0 0 0
Verone, 2 0 0 0 0
Heintzelman, 2 0 0 0 0
Schanz, 2 0 0 0 0
Schmitz, 2 0 0 0 0

YANKEES DOWN WASHINGTON IN NIGHT TILT, 4-3

McQuinn's Long Fly Scores Winning Run In Tenth Inning

NEW YORK, Aug. 29 (P)—A long fly by George McQuinn with one out and the bases loaded in the last half of the tenth inning scored Tommy Heinrich with the run that gave the New York Yankees a 4-3 victory over the Washington Senators tonight.

A crowd of 44,248 saw Bobo Newsom and Joe Page hold the Senators to five hits, two of which were home runs by Stan Spence, which accounted for all the loser's runs.

Washington
Sullivan, 2 0 0 1 0
Lewie, 2 0 0 0 0
Grace, 2 0 0 0 0
Verone, 1 0 0 0 0
Spence, 2 0 0 0 0
Fence, 2 0 0 0 0
Vee, 2 0 0 0 0
Maneuse, 2 0 0 0 0
Wynn, 2 0 0 0 0

All-Stars Tackle St. Clair foe, 7-2

Director Ed Good's Baseball School came to a close yesterday with the All-Stars turning in a 7-2 victory over the St. Clair Flashes in an exhibition game on Franklin Field.

St. Clair
Murray, 2 0 0 1 0
Bosch, 2 0 0 0 0
Rozelle, 2 0 0 0 0
Katz, 2 0 0 0 0
Cane, 2 0 0 0 0
Campbell, 2 0 0 0 0
Santini, 2 0 0 0 0
Parker, 2 0 0 0 0
Armstrong, 2 0 0 0 0
Fence, 2 0 0 0 0

All-Stars
Abramo, 2 0 0 0 0
O'Donnell, 2 0 0 0 0
Bosch, 2 0 0 0 0
Rozelle, 2 0 0 0 0
Katz, 2 0 0 0 0
Cane, 2 0 0 0 0
Campbell, 2 0 0 0 0
Santini, 2 0 0 0 0
Parker, 2 0 0 0 0
Armstrong, 2 0 0 0 0
Fence, 2 0 0 0 0

Yanks Recall Lollar From Newark Bears

NEW YORK, Aug. 29 (P)—The New York Yankees tonight announced the recall of catcher Sherburne Lollar from the Newark Bears, effective immediately.

Lollar originally came up to the big time with Cleveland as a graduate of the Baltimore Orioles. While with Baltimore in 1945 he led the International League in batting with a .264 and was voted the league's most valuable player the same year.

A. B. CHANDLER TELLS PACIFIC COAST LOOP NOT TO BE IMPATIENT

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 29 (P)—Commissioner A. B. Chandler today told Pacific Coast league directors and supporters of the circuit's plan to become a big league: "You haven't had major league baseball out here in over 40 years. Don't be impatient if it takes a few more years."

"The commissioner, here with the major leagues' executive council to inspect Coast facilities and ideas, spoke at a luncheon meeting of PCL representatives and civil leaders.

"We are going to ascertain the facts, declared Chandler. "We want to make a fair decision."

The commission said that decision, however, will not be made until the major leagues convene in December, and President Clarence Rowland of the Coast loop assured Chandler that "we don't look for an answer until December."

FERN DRUMHELLER PLACES SECOND IN AAU DIVING EVENT

READING, Aug. 29 (P)—Joe Versor, world record holder in the breaststroke and owner of 11 national marks, stole the show tonight at Wyomissing in the final Middle Atlantic AAU swimming meet of the Berk county season by capturing three events in record time.

The LaSalle college sensation, representing Brighton-Drake A. A. of Atlantic City, captured the 100-yard breaststroke in 1:01.6, the century in 54.7 seconds and the 220 in 2:20.3 to set a new pool standard.

Frank Harter, of Brighton-Drake, established the other tank record when he splashed to victory in the backstroke in 1:05.4.

Biggest upset of the night took place in the three-meter diving event when Rita Wolpert, AAU champion, placed third to Arlene Gasser and Fern Drumheller, Pottstown High athlete, of the Berks AAC. Miss Gasser won the event with 60.2 points.

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BIG SISTER

IT'S! IT'S A MAN HANGING ON TO THAT LOG!

BETH! THAT'S THE FELLOW THE MAN WAS SHOOTING AT BACK THERE!

PULL OVER CLOSE. HE'LL NEED HELP!

I'M NOT SURE WE SHOULD GET MIXED UP IN THIS AFFAIR.

GREAT GOODNESS! WE CAN'T LET THE MAN DROWN! PULL OVER!

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OL' GRANNY CREEPS!!

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MICKY MOUSE

LISTEN, HONEY... YOU CAN'T SWEET-TEASE ME WITH SOME BIG STEEL COWS IN!

YOU'VE GOT TO GET OUT IT'S DANGEROUS...

GEE... I CAN'T PUT YOU IN MY POCKET! I...

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deaths

CASSIDY—On Thursday, Aug. 28, 1947, Kathleen, daughter of James and Mary, of Bensenville, Ill., aged 10 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the service on Monday at 2 p. m. from her late residence, 1212 N. Western St., Chicago, Ill. Friends may call at the residence Sunday evening 7 to 9 p. m. (Franklin)

GILBERT—On Friday, Aug. 29, 1947, Clara Barbara, wife of the late William D. Gilbert, aged 70 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the service from 10 a. m. to 12 p. m. at the home of the deceased, 1212 N. Western St., Chicago, Ill. Friends may call at the residence Sunday evening 7 to 9 p. m. (Huck)

HENRY—On Thursday, Aug. 28, 1947, Emma A., wife of the late John Henry, aged 70 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the service on Monday at 2 p. m. from her late residence, 1212 N. Western St., Chicago, Ill. Friends may call at the residence Sunday evening 7 to 9 p. m. (Franklin)

HENNINGER—On Friday, Aug. 29, 1947, Charles W., of Green Lane, Pa., husband of Florence (Huck) Henninger, aged 63 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the service from 10 a. m. to 12 p. m. at the home of the deceased, 1212 N. Western St., Chicago, Ill. Friends may call at the residence Sunday evening 7 to 9 p. m. (Huck)

JOHNSON—On Wednesday, Aug. 27, 1947, Walter J. Johnson, aged 41 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the service from 10 a. m. to 12 p. m. at the home of the deceased, 1212 N. Western St., Chicago, Ill. Friends may call at the residence Sunday evening 7 to 9 p. m. (Huck)

LORD—On Saturday, Aug. 23, 1947, Lord A. Lord, aged 55 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the service from 10 a. m. to 12 p. m. at the home of the deceased, 1212 N. Western St., Chicago, Ill. Friends may call at the residence Sunday evening 7 to 9 p. m. (Huck)

WENTZEL

The family of the late Eleanor Wentzel desires to thank the kind neighbors and friends for the assistance and sympathy and the floral tributes and use of caskets offered during their recent bereavement.

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GILBERT—On Friday, Aug. 29, 1947, Clara Barbara, wife of the late William D. Gilbert, aged 70 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the service from 10 a. m. to 12 p. m. at the home of the deceased, 1212 N. Western St., Chicago, Ill. Friends may call at the residence Sunday evening 7 to 9 p

Help Wanted—Female
WOMAN—To wash and iron in own home. Write Mercury Box 7-18.
MAID—Full time. Good wages. Sleep in or out. Only experienced woman need apply. Ph. 586.
GIRL—To assist chemist in paint laboratory. Knowledge of High School Chemistry and Physics desirable. No experience necessary.
VARCRAFT WORKS
Kern and Cross Sts.
WANTED—Girl to assist in drug store. Apply in person. Write Mercury Box 7-18.
HOUSEKEEPER—Must be reliable and honest. Live in. Family of 2. Write Mercury Box 7-18.

COOK
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ELKS HOME
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Stoke, Pa.

Farmer-Gardener 22 a. Private Permanent Farm, suburb. Ph. 108-192. Write age, family, references, experience, wages. Mercury Box 7-18.
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Experienced Full-Fashion Knitters for Reading Textile Machines. Steady work. Apply:
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Man wanted to sell plumbing and heating. We supply the leads. Excellent opportunity. Must have car.
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POS of A Pledges Campaign Against 'Red' Threat in U. S.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 29 (P) — The Patriotic Order Sons of America today adopted a resolution pledging a crusade against what the organization described as "the Red threat."

Another resolution endorsed by delegates at the 100th anniversary convention called for rigid enforcement of immigration quotas in this country. It was accompanied by another demanding that Europe's displaced persons be sent to South America and Australia.

The resolution stated that millions of people are seeking entrance into the United States from all sections of the world and "it appears that many displaced persons have legally or illegally entered during recent years."

In other action, the organization urged adoption of a government economic policy to eliminate inflation and rising living costs and commendation of the United States foreign policy and the United Nations organization.

The delegates resolved that all camps of the organization "assist all national, local and state law enforcement agencies to seek out and destroy the Red threat."

On foreign policy, the POS of A said it should be "directed toward a stopping of the spread of Communism and preserving freedom for the liberated peoples of the world."

Another resolution urged adoption of an immediate policy "designed to restore as soon as possible a normal economic standard for our people."

The organization voted to hold its next national convention at Raleigh, N.C., in 1949.

Clothesless Motorist Eludes His Hunters

"Clothesless Charlie," who gallivanted about Montgomery county Thursday night partially nude, managed to elude State police who were on the lookout for the character.

The middle-aged man, who was described as wearing a blue and white shirt and brown shoes, drove in his "dirty" automobile down Route 422 when first seen by startled passersby.

A similar sight was reported two or three times Thursday night in different sections of the county, but Collegeville State police on patrol never once crossed the path of the pantsless gent. The theory of nudity to keep cool was discredited inasmuch as temperatures were not that high.

East Nantmeal Schools To Re-Open on Tuesday

Schools of East Nantmeal township will open Tuesday, with Grades 1-3 at Nantmeal and Grades 5-8 at Union, it was announced last night.

Half-day sessions will be observed during the first week, according to Leonard H. Caldwell, school board secretary.

The elementary school bus schedule is: Nantmeal Route 100, 7:50 a. m.; Bulltown, 8:10 a. m.; Hause, 8:15 a. m.; McAfee, 8:25 a. m.; and Union, 8:35 a. m.

High school pupils are due to report to Warwick High school on Sept. 3. The high school bus schedule and route are the same as in previous years.

Reading Power Firm To Finance Construction

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 29 (P) — Metropolitan Edison company, Reading, today disclosed a \$4,500,000 financing program in connection with plant improvement and construction.

In a registration statement filed with the securities and exchange commission the company said it will sell \$4,500,000 of 30-year first mortgage bonds through competitive bidding.

Metropolitan, in addition to using the proceeds for plant improvement, will reimburse its Treasury for expenditures already made for bondable value of property additions.

The company sells electricity in four cities, 61 boroughs and 128 townships in Adams, Berks, Bucks, Chester, Cumberland, Dauphin, Lancaster, Lebanon, Lehigh, Monroe, Montgomery, Northampton, Pike and York counties and sells steam for heating in a portion of Easton.

ATTENDED BETHANY FETE

The names of Miss Ann Reigner and George East were omitted from a list of members of St. Paul's Reformed church, Pottstown, who attended the 84th anniversary of the Rev. Dr. Orians home at Womelsdorf Thursday.

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Nine-Inch Rain Swamps Dallas Autos



These automobiles were caught by high waters from a small creek which overflowed when a rainstorm brought 9.15 inches of precipitation to Dallas, Tex. The rain was described as "what was left" of the tropical storm which struck the Texas coast a few days before. Rainfall was heaviest in Dallas history. (P) Wirephoto

State Medical Board Revokes License of Philadelphia Doctor

HARRISBURG, Aug. 29 (P) — The license of Dr. Henry Junius Schireson, Philadelphia, to practice medicine in Pennsylvania was revoked today by the State board of medical education and licensure on the ground that he obtained it in 1910 by fraud.

The action, taken after more than three years of investigation and litigation, brought an immediate statement from Thomas D. Caldwell, counsel for the Philadelphia plastic surgeon, that the board's order will be appealed to the Dauphin county court under the administration agency law.

Deputy Attorney General John Phillips, who announced the board's decision, said the attorney general's office and Caldwell agreed informally that there would be no steps taken by the state to prevent Dr. Schireson from practicing medicine until the defense appeal can be discussed with the court.

Phillips said, however, that the Commonwealth will oppose any move to have the court hold up the revocation of the license, pending final action on the appeal.

The order was dated Aug. 22 but Phillips said its announcement was held up for review by the Justice department as to "form and language" as required by state law.

State AFL Council To Discuss New Law

HARRISBURG, Aug. 29 (P) — The AFL - Pennsylvania Federation of Labor called a two-day meeting of its executive council today for Sept. 9-10 to discuss effects of the new Taft-Hartley labor law and establishment of "active political action committees."

The agenda of the executive council session also calls for consideration of resolutions adopted at the state convention of labor unity, job guarantees, congressional budget cuts and universal military training.

Gems Worth \$76,000 Stolen in Tel Aviv

JERUSALEM, Aug. 29 (P) — Seven armed men staged two diamond robberies in Tel Aviv today and made off with polished stones worth \$76,000, police reported.

The gang first held up a woman messenger for the Diamond Trust, Ltd., riding in a taxi. Then, an hour later, they entered the Diamond Trust offices, brandishing revolvers, and looted its safe.

Dahlias, named for the Swedish botanist, Dahl, were first found growing wild on a Mexican hillside.

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LAST DAY — TODAY

SUITS \$5 \$10 \$15	RAINCOATS \$5 \$10 \$15
SKIRTS \$2.69 Two For \$5.00	BLOUSES \$2
HANDBAGS 50c Plus 10c Tax	UMBRELLAS \$3
SHORTS \$2	PANTY GIRDLES \$1

HOFFMAN'S — HIGH AT PENN. ST.

Truman Declares Co-operation Needed For European Recovery; Cites UNRRA

WASHINGTON, Aug. 29 (P) — President Truman, reporting to Congress on the virtual windup of the U. S.-financed phase of UNRRA operations, laid sharp stress today on the idea that the time has come for Europe to help itself co-operatively.

He spoke pointedly on the "long range" nature of the Marshall plan for European self-help. And he broadly implied definite limitations on what that country will contribute to that project and on the conditions under which it will be given.

The President sent to Capitol Hill a report on operations of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration for the quarter ended March 31. In an accompanying letter he expressed assurance that when the final figures are available "the Congress and the people will be proud of the success" of UNRRA.

The UNRRA report itself said that the June 30 figures will show that the organization will have "accomplished its supply programs to a remarkable degree and will have utilized to the fullest possible extent the total contributions of approximately \$3,685,000,000 made available by member governments."

U. S. financial participation in UNRRA ended with the second 1947 quarter when the money was cut off by Congress' order. Mr. Truman said that on that date the organization had obligated practically all of the \$2,700,000,000 contributed by this country, amounting to about 75 percent of the UNRRA fund. Funds from other countries can be used into 1948.

In the meantime, however, this country has not stopped aiding needy foreign nations. Congress at its recent session provided \$332,000,000 for direct relief.

In the march quarter, the President said, U. S. shipments to UNRRA receiving countries amounted to 1,970,000 tons valued at \$212,230,000. Cumulative world shipments by UNRRA since the organization was set up were shown as 22,239,217 tons, valued at \$2,597,299,000, of which 16,650,000 tons worth \$1,900,000,000 came from the United States. That U. S. share was figured at 75 percent of the volume and 73 percent of the value.

Mr. Truman's letter appeared to point up news conference statements by Undersecretary of State Robert Lovett this week that U. S. aid will be given only to a European recovery plan that is reasonable and realistic and which provides for diminishing demands on this country.

Hospital Patient Dies When Hit by Chair

ALLENTOWN, Aug. 29 (P) — Mrs. Rebecca Silverman, 66, of Easton, died today at the Allentown State hospital from an injury suffered when she was hit over the head with a chair by another patient. Coroner Dr. Alexander M. Peters of Lehigh county, said.

Mrs. Silverman, a patient at the hospital since July 29, 1947, was en route to breakfast with other women patients when hit. The name of the other patient was not disclosed. Dr. Peters issued a certificate of accidental death because of the condition of the woman.

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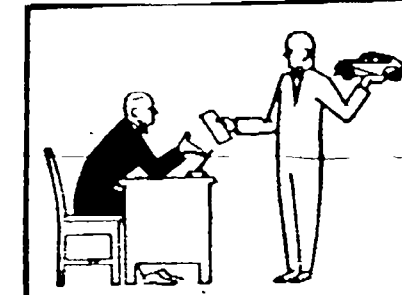
Several Pottstown Spanish-American War veterans plan to attend the 24th annual reunion of the Old Fourth Regiment, Volunteers, on the days of 1898.

The event will be held in Hamburg, Berks county, on Sept. 6 and 7. The sessions will be held at the American Legion Home.

George Potteiger, Hamburg, is president of the veterans organization, while Melvin B. Krause, this borough, is secretary, and Robert Bennett, of Roxborough, is treasurer.

Pottstown veterans were members of Company M, the officers of which were as follows: Lyman Musser, captain; Horace Ebert and Charles Schuyler, lieutenants. They are deceased.

Among the Pottstonians who plan to attend are Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Krause, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tice.



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Base Course Is Laid On Washington Street

Borough highway department employees yesterday placed the base course on Washington street between High and King streets. Borough Manager Dow I. Sears said the top course will be applied next week.

Corners of the curbing at High and Washington streets have been rounded under direction of Street Foreman Earl Potteiger. There have been numerous complaints from motorists who have had tires scuffed while making sharp turns at the intersection.

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BETWEEN POTTSTOWN AND BIRDSBORO
WILL BE RESUMED
WITH THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULES

BIRDSBORO TO POTTSTOWN						
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Jones Rest.	5:55	8:05	1:55		7:25	9:55
Y. M. C. A.	6:00	8:10	2:00	4:30	7:30	10:00
Main & Walnut Sts.	6:03	8:13	2:03	4:33	7:33	10:03
Riley Rest.	6:06	8:16	2:06	4:36	7:36	10:06
Monocacy Chapel ...	6:09	8:19	2:09	4:39	7:39	10:09
Monocacy Bridge ...	6:11	8:21	2:11		7:41	10:11
Wolf's Rest.	6:15	8:25	2:15		7:45	10:15
Douglassville Bdg. .	6:17	8:27	2:17	4:47	7:47	10:17
High & Hanover						
Doehler's	6:35	8:35	2:35		7:55	10:35
Jacob's No. 1	6:38	8:38	2:38		7:58	10:38
Spicer's & Beth. St.	6:40	8:40	2:40		8:00	
Firestone	6:45		2:45	5:10	8:10	

POTTSTOWN TO BIRDSBORO						
	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Firestone	7:00	10:00	3:00	5:35	9:00	11:05
Spicer's	7:10	10:10	3:15			11:15
Jacob's No. 1	7:12	10:12	3:35			11:17
Doehler's	7:15	10:15	3:40	5:40		11:25
High & Hanover ...	7:20	10:20	3:45	5:45	9:20	11:30
Doug. Bridge	7:30	10:30	3:55	5:55	9:30	11:40
Wolf's Rest.	7:32	10:32	3:57	5:57	9:32	11:42
Monocacy Cros.	7:36	10:36	4:01	6:01	9:36	11:46
Monocacy Chap.	7:40	10:40	4:05	6:05	9:40	11:50
Riley Rest.	7:42	10:42	4:07	6:07	9:42	11:52
Main & Walnut	7:45	10:45	4:10	6:10	9:45	11:55
Y. M. C. A.	7:47	10:47	4:12	6:12	9:47	11:57
Jones Rest.	7:50	10:50	4:15	6:15	9:50	12:00

SCHEDULE OF RATES — SUBJECT TO CHANGE

	Birdsboro	Monocacy	Clemmer's	Uniontown	Ramble Inn	Pottstown	Firestone
Birdsboro.	X	.06	.11	.16	.22	.27	.32
Monocacy		X	.06	.11	.16	.22	.27
Clemmers Garage			X	.06	.11	.16	.22
Uniontown				X	.06	.11	.16
Ramble Inn					X	.06	.11
Pottstown						X	.06
Firestone							X

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